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REPUBLIC DECLARED BY CHINESE REBEL LEADER

**Revolt Against the Manchu Dynasty is Spreading
Rapidly---Troops Honeycombed With Disaffec-
tion---Foreigners Safe So Far.**

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 13.—Ad-
vices were received here to-day by the
Chung Sai Yat Po, the Chinese Daily
World, that the revolutionists in
China have declared a republic, elect-
ing Li Yun-Hung, lieutenant-com-
mander of the Imperial new army as
president.

Hankow, Oct. 13.—The revolution that
has been hanging over China for
months, and of which the rising in the
province of Szechuen was only a small
part, has begun in earnest. It is a con-
certed movement to depose the em-
peror and declare a republic.

If plans do not miscarry, the noted
exiled revolutionist, Dr. Sun Yat Sen,
leader of the anti-Manchu party, is to
be elected president. He was the dele-
gate of the revolutionary party to the
United States in 1910, and is believed
during that tour to have made arrange-
ments for financing the movement.

Sun Yu, a brother of Dr. Sun Yat
who is now in Hankow, has been elect-
ed president of the provincial assembly,
and Yang Hun Lung, the retiring pres-
ident, has been elected governor of
Hu Peh.

The whole assembly has seceded from
the Imperial government. The rebels
are well organized and financially
strong. They have confiscated the
local treasury and banks, and are is-
suing their own paper money, redeem-
ing the government notes with this, as

foreign banks are refusing government
notes.
This city is a scene of desolation to-
day. All night long incendiary fires
burned throughout the native quarters
and it was a night of terror for the
population. There was a massacre of
Manchu families, which left large num-
bers dead, and to add to the danger,
all the prisons were opened and the in-
mates released to wander about the
city.

The revolutionary organization is
making every effort to restore order,
and it is announced that rioters who
ever caught will be severely dealt with.
The revolutionary army is strongly
entrenched in Wu Chang and Han
Yang, with guns mounted on the com-
manding positions. Since the capture
of Han Yang arsenal there has been no
solicitude regarding the supply of am-
munition and the leaders declare that
they are in a position to cope with any
opposition.

Parties of government troops which
are arriving here from time to time,
are met promptly by revolutionists,
who endeavor to persuade them to join
the movement. If they refuse they are
allowed to withdraw beyond the limits
of the city.

The American consul-general, Roger
S. Green, crossed the Yangtze river at
Wu Chang to-day, accompanied by the
commander of the American gunboat
Helena, the Associated Press corre-
spondent and two Chinese interpreters.
The party went unarmed and entered
the gate of the city after they had been
opened for a squad of rebel artillery to
pass out.

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CANADA'S NEW GOVERNOR



H. R. H. THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

Who to-day was sworn in at Quebec as Governor-General of the Dominion, and was loyally welcomed.

DUKE AND DUCHESS ARE WELCOMED AT QUEBEC

**Their Royal Highnesses Landed at the Ancient
Capital This Morning---City in Gala Attire
---Swearing In.**

Quebec, Que., Oct. 13.—Glorious
weather greeted the day fixed for the
landing of their royal highnesses, the
Duke and Duchess of Connaught, on
Canadian soil to represent his majesty
King George V. in this greatest of the
overseas dominions.

The city presents a gala appearance.
Not since the tercentenary have the
decorations been so lavish, the whole
capital being ablaze with red, white
and blue decorations. From the
steeple of Quebec's many churches
rang out the first welcome to the
Royal party.

The deputation at the King's wharf
to meet the viceregal party last night
included, Lieut-Governor Langelier,
Mayor Drouin, Quebec; Thomas Mul-
vey, under secretary of State; Col.
Sherwood, W. R. Baker, Capt. T.
Rivers Bulkeley, equerry to his Royal
Highness; A. P. Sladen, C. M. G.,
private secretary to the govern-
ment; Capt. S. E. Worthington,
physician to the Duke. These gentle-
men at once went on board the Em-
press and met their Royal Highnesses,
with whom they later had dinner.

There was, unfortunately, some hitch
in the proceedings this morning, and
although Sir Francis Langelier, Lieut-
Governor of Quebec, Premier R. L.
Borden, Sir Lomer Gouin, Premier of
Quebec, the Inspector-General of the
naval service and the many civil and
military dignitaries were on hand at
the King's wharf for the official re-
ception, the guard of honor was at
least ten minutes late in appearing,
their Royal Highnesses being already

ashore when the guard appeared.
Again, though the mast for the royal
standard was in place, apparently no
one thought to unfurl the emblem
until some time after the Royal party
had come ashore.

Further along the shore were vari-
ous dignitaries who had come to wel-
come the party. Neither the Duke nor
Duchess, however, showed any em-
barrassment. Before leaving the
steamer on the way in his Highness
halted for a few moments for a chat
with the military officers on board,
including General Otter. After his
Royal Highnesses chatted with Hon.
Mr. Borden and Hon. S. Hughes until
the guard of honor appeared.

Then the royal salute was given, the
band struck up the national anthem,
and a few moments afterward their
Highnesses entered their carriages for
the Parliament Buildings. The Duke
wore the uniform of a Field Marshal
of the British army, while the Duchess
wore a fur coat over her gown. Their
Royal Highnesses were accompanied
by Lieut.-Col. H. C. Lowther, C. M. G.,
Scots Guards, military secretary;
Lieut. Hon. Ramsay, R. N.; Capt.
W. Long, D. S. O., A. D. C.; Capt.
Worthington, medical officer; Capt. T.
Rivers Bulkeley, Scots Guards and Miss
Pelly, lady-in-waiting to her Royal
Highness, the Duchess of Connaught.

There was much enthusiasm during
the procession, which was accom-
panied by an escort of dragoons. Pro-
cession was halted several times by ob-
structing vehicles and at the foot of
the hill in St. Peter street one of the
carriages was completely blocked for a
time by a farmer's cart.

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ATTITUDE OF JURORS TO ORGANIZED LABOR

**Defense in McNamara Case is
Making Rigid Inquiry
Into That**

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 13.—Ex-
amination of the testimony of Z. T. Nelson
of Pasadena was the first proceeding set
before Judge Bordwell in the Supreme
court to-day, in the murder trial of
James B. McNamara. Questioning of
testimony frequently regarded as a dis-
mal proceeding, furnished in this case
intense interest to spectators and
partisans because it was expected to
define in advance of the opening argu-
ments some of the essential issues of
the trial, which is designed to show
whether the defendant is responsible for
the death of Charles B. Hargerty,
who, with 20 others, was killed in the
Los Angeles Times explosion over a
year ago. For 19 of these days, the
James B. McNamara case is held on the
indictments, but the state has elected to
go to trial on Hargerty's case.

Nelson's attitude toward organiza-
tions and their members touched upon
at the preceding session of court was
made the subject of further inquiry for
the defense, under Attorney Clarence
S. Darrow, and the ruling of the
court, on objections interposed by
District Attorney John D. Frederick
and his associates, were awaited as
showing what confines would be
placed upon the examination of other
testimony.

Before Nelson's examination was
taken up, one more testimony was called
into the box, to replace one dis-
missed at the last moment of court,
being withdrawn because of physical
inability to stand the fatigue of a long
trial.

Nelson, a ruddy-faced man of 62
years, from the start answered with
deliberation questions put by counsel,
weighing his answers.
"I can't answer that question be-
cause I'm not sufficiently familiar with
the subject," was his reply from time
to time to questions concerning his
attitude toward labor organizations as
he understood them to exist in Cali-
fornia and elsewhere.

Because of the determination of
questions involved in the examination
of Nelson, the first testimony, it was
said, that questioning of other test-
imony would go forward much more
rapidly.

HOLY WAR IN TURKEY.
Troubles at Home on Top of Those
Abroad.

Constantinople, Oct. 12.—The gov-
ernment has issued a list of contra-
band articles. In addition to those al-
ready known, it includes cereals, al-
though flour is not mentioned, and all
kinds of preserved foodstuffs, bank
notes and cheques, bills of exchange
and paper money. The government
also has declared its intention to con-
form to the declaration of London, al-
though Turkey is not a party thereto.
Reports from Yemen say that Imam
Yahya has proclaimed a holy war.

A preliminary meeting of the two
parties in the chamber of deputies to-
day indicated a probability of the early
fall of the cabinet.
The ministerialists tried to arrange a
joint meeting in order to present a
united front, but the oppositionists de-
clined, and in a separate meeting
adopted a resolution that they would
refuse to vote confidence in the new
ministry.

The ministerial meeting adopted a
resolution in favor of resisting Italy
with reprisals and by every means in
the country's power. It is doubtful
whether the grand vizier will conform
to this policy, in which case the cabi-
net's fate is sealed. There is an un-
confirmed report, however, that the
committee of union and progress is
now willing to negotiate peace.

The press censorship and attempts
of the authorities to keep the proceed-
ings of parliament secret are leading
to much unpleasantness, and there is
strong feeling against Shekret Pasha,
the war minister, who is said to be re-
sponsible for the gagging of the press.

UNPOPULAR WIN.

Middlepark Plate At Newmarket To-
day Was a Surprise.

Newmarket, Eng., Oct. 13.—One of
the greatest upsets of the season
among two-year-olds occurred to-day,
when J. B. Joel's seven-to-one shot,
the Absurdity colt, won the Middlepark
plate, worth £1,000, six furlongs, the
winner of which often supplies the
favorite in winter betting for the en-
suing Derby.

The same owner's White Star, full
brother to this year's Derby winner,
heavily backed at 6 to 4, could do no
better than third, the Joel pale colt,
split by the American-bred colt,
which started second favorite at 2 to 1.
The winner is by Sundridge—Ab-
surdity, and though he has won some
good races had been tried out inferior
to White Star, his half brother. He is
trained by Morton. The result was far
from popular.

MAJOR MACLAREN IS KILLED BY A FALL

**Prominent Ontario Military
Man Thrown From His Horse
While on Way Home**

Barrie, Ont., Oct. 12.—Dr. W. D.
MacLaren, major of "A" squadron of
the 8th Mississauga Light Horse, was
thrown from his horse on his way in
from attending a gathering at Major
Sheath's, in Vespra township last
night. The other members of the
party left there in rigs slightly in ad-
vance of Major MacLaren, but were
passed by him a mile nearer the town.

A few minutes later they found him
in an unconscious condition in the
roadway. A small bruise on the head
produced concussion of the brain,
which ended fatally at 7:30 this
morning. He was a prominent mili-
tary man.

EXPRESS RATES IN NEW SCHEDULE

**MANUFACTURERS HEAR
WHAT REDUCTIONS ARE**

**It is Said the Greatest Cut Has
Been Made in the
West**

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 13.—Good news
was given out at the convention of the
Canadian Manufacturers' Association
before adjourning yesterday when
Henry Bertram told the members about
the new schedule of rates filed by the
tariffs. There was a marked reduction
shown, the largest being in the west.

On a given illustration the rate be-
tween Winnipeg and Calgary is re-
duced from \$5 to \$4.75; between Regi-
na and Edmonton from \$6 to \$4.75;
between Toronto and Winnipeg from
\$4.75 to \$4.50; between London and
Brandon from \$6 to \$4.75.

There is no change between Mon-
real, Hamilton and St. John, N. B. and
Brandon. Between London, Hamilton,
Toronto, Montreal and St. John, N. B.,
and Calgary, the rate has been re-
duced by \$1.25; \$1, \$1.25, \$1, \$1.25 and
\$1 respectively. To and from Van-
couver and the same points the reduc-
tion is \$2.25, \$2.25, \$2.25, \$2 and \$2.45,
respectively, for the different classes.
On small shipments of thirty pounds
weight between local points, such as
London, Hamilton, Toronto and Win-
nipeg, a reduction of five cents is
made and 25 cents between St. John
and Winnipeg. While there is no
change between Montreal and Winni-
peg corresponding reductions are made
between other points.

The transportation committee's re-
port reviewed Vancouver and Pacific
Coast rates. Much dissatisfaction
was voiced at the high prevailing ex-
press rates, and the suggestion was
made that more use could be made of
the postal service if a more elaborate
and cheaper parcel post system were
introduced. Telegraph tolls in On-
tario were also attacked, the statement
being made that in some cases they
were as high between points in this
province as from Ontario to far west-
ern points.

PRISONER THREATENS.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 13.—While
United States Senator Reed was mak-
ing an argument for the state in the
retrial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, charged with
the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swop,
to-day, the prisoner, uttering a threat,
sprang toward the senator. Mrs. Hyde
pulled him back into his seat and the
hearing proceeded.

REOPENING COAL MINES IN SIGHT

**MINERS' EXECUTIVE
TOLD TO NEGOTIATE**

**President Stockett, of Oper-
ators, Meeting Them in
Lethbridge To-day**

Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 13.—It has
leaked out through what is considered
an authoritative source, that the
miners convention yesterday passed a
resolution authorizing the executive
to make arrangements to meet Presi-
dent Stockett, of the Western Canada
Coal Operators' Association, to nego-
tiate for the re-opening of the mines.

Arrangements were made over the
telephone last night and Mr. Stockett
is expected in Lethbridge to-day to
meet the district executive.
After passing the resolutions the
delegates left the matter entirely in
the hands of the executive, who will
deal finally with Mr. Stockett. The
matter of arranging the settlement
proceeded, and as much despatch as
possible, and is considered a direct re-
sult of the visit of International Presi-
dent White.

VULTURE'S FLIGHT APPLIED TO AIRSHIPS

**Wright Brothers Said to Have
Discovered Secret of Soar-
ing Indefinitely**

Nagehead, N. C., Oct. 13.—The amaz-
ing statement made by Lorin Wright
that his brothers, Wilbur and Orville,
have at last discovered the secret of
the vulture's flight and will soon send
into the clouds an aeroplane capable
of soaring indefinitely like a giant bird,
has created the wildest excitement here,
where eleven years ago the experi-
menting aviators were looked upon as
harmless visionaries.
While Mr. Wright does not go into
details, it is said that the flier will be
raised, propelled and maintained in the
air with the minimum of power and
like that of the vulture, whose flight
is patterned after, it will remain
aloft with the engine "dead" so long as
the air is in motion.

HAZEN CABINET OUT OF OFFICE

**HON. J. K. FLEMING
NEW BRUNSWICK LEADER**

**Changes Will Not Necessitate
Any By-Elections—Three
Vacancies in House**

St. John, N. B., Oct. 13.—The last
meeting of the Hazen government was
held last night in the Royal hotel here,
when the Hon. J. D. Hazen, who has
accepted the portfolio of Minister of
Marine and Fisheries in the Borden
cabinet, placed his resignation as Prem-
ier and Attorney-General of New
Brunswick in the hands of Lieut-Gov-
ernor Tweedie.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie accepted his resig-
nation and at once called upon Hon.
J. K. Fleming, who has been provin-
cial secretary in the Hazen government
and who is recognized by many as the
strongest man in the public life of the
province except Mr. Hazen, to form a
government.

Hon. Mr. Fleming accepted the
charge and will announce his cabinet
on Monday at Fredericton, then he will
be sworn in as first minister. Hon. Mr.
Fleming will follow the precedent es-
tablished by Governor Tweedie when
he was Premier of the province and re-
tain the provincial secretaryship.
Other changes rendered necessary by
the retirement of Mr. Hazen are that
Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, who has been
Surveyor-General of the province in
charge of crown lands, will become At-
torney-General, and Hon. H. F. Mac-
Leod, the present Solicitor-General, will
succeed to the office of Surveyor-General.
The solicitor-generalship will be
left vacant for the present.

There are three by-elections to be
held in the province, in Charlotte
county, for the seat held by Thomas
A. Hart, M. P.-elect; in St. John for
the seat held by Mr. Lowell, who re-
tired to unsuccessfully contest the seat
against Dr. J. W. Daniel, and in Sun-
bury county, where Mr. Hazen sat. The
cabinet changes do not make any elec-
tions necessary, as all the new min-
isters are already members of the cabi-
net, the only changes being in their
office.

DENIES OPPOSITION.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 13.—Hon. S. N.
Parent, ex-chairman of the transcon-
tinental railway board, who was in Mon-
treal yesterday, denied the report that
he would oppose the new postmaster-
general in Quebec county. He also
stated that he would use his influence
to have the new ministers re-elected
without opposition.

POLYGAMOUS MORMONS. New Mexico Pilgrims Visit Salt Lake For Sanction.

Salt Lake, Ut., Oct. 13.—Twenty
Mormon families, consisting of twenty
husbands and as many "other wives,"
arrived here yesterday from the Mor-
mon settlements in New Mexico and
made the journey that they might "go
through the temple," which in the
language of the inner church means
that the polygamous marriage ties, con-
tracted in New Mexico, are to be con-
firmed here by the high priests.

To avoid coming in conflict with the
legislation these Mormons have
brought to Salt Lake only the "other
wives." The church rite by which the
husbands are "sealed" to their addi-
tional wives for eternity is performed
only during conference week, when
devout Mormons gather from all parts
of the west to hear the revelations of
the prophet and take decrees in the
temple.

WOMEN ARE ELATED.
Suffrage Success In California Pleases
Them Mightily.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 13.—The na-
tional headquarters of Women Suffrage
is in gala dress to-day over the
news of the victory in California.

"We are gloriously happy," declared
Dr. Anna Shaw, national president of
the suffrage party.

"This is the beginning of the end
of the cause as many votes as in the five
states where we have previously won.
Oregon, Washington and other western
states are bound to follow the lead at
the next election."

Mrs. Pankhurst, the English suffrage
leader, said: "The news is worthy of
great rejoicing. English women will
be particularly glad, because it will be
a very great help in our campaign."

MANY DEAD IN STORM IN WESTERN MEXICO

**Food Supplies Are Running
Short in the State of
Sonora**

Nogales, Ariz., Oct. 13.—The total
list of dead in the storm which swept
the western coast of Sonora, Mexico,
a week ago has been definitely fixed at
18, according to official reports re-
ceived here, although there are many
more missing. Guaymas has not been
destroyed, according to advices, nor
has it suffered anything approaching a
disaster.

Seventy-five miles across the Gulf
of California, the town of Rosalia with
5,000 population, has been for five
days without any water, excepting
scant supplies sent irregularly from
Guaymas.

The Bollo property of the Santa
Rosalia Copper Company, suffered
damage estimated at \$2,000,000.
On account of the interruption to
traffic food supplies have been short
in and about Guaymas and Rosalia and
huge prices are prevailing.

IS AN UNLUCKY DAY FOR SEATTLEITES

**Crimes and Accidents Mark
Friday and Thirteenth of
the Month**

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 13.—Friday, the
13th, opened in Seattle with two suc-
cides, a stabbing affray and an auto-
mobile accident.

A man to whose identity the police
have as yet found no clue committed
suicide at First avenue and Jackson
street at 1:15 this morning. The police
are equally in the dark as to a motive
for the suicide. The only witness was
Thos. Dowd, who was passing in the
neighborhood. Dowd says the man was
carrying a can which he laid against
the Schwabacher Hardware Company's
building. He then drew a revolver from
his pocket and sent a bullet through his
head. A hurry call was sent to the
police station and the auto patrol re-
sponded.

At Washington street and Occidental
avenue two men were crossing the
street. The auto struck one and in
avoiding the other the machine ran
into a cluster light pole on the corner,
snapping the front post off at the curb.
The automobile was disabled and the
patrolmen with it went on foot to find
the man who had shot himself. The
man who was knocked down by the
automobile escaped with a few bruises.
The affray was about 55 years of age,
weighed about 210 pounds and was
shabbily dressed. Nothing in his
pockets or on his person gave any sug-
gestion as to his name or address.

With the arteries of his left wrist
severed by a razor, Edward Wendt,
aged about 35, was found dead in a
room of an Occidental avenue house
shortly after midnight. No clue to a
motive for suicide has been found.

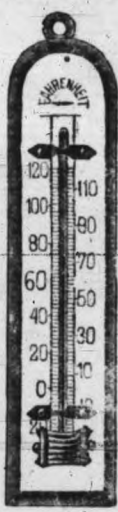
Charles Harris, 39 years old, a team-
ster, was stabbed five times by an
unidentified man at Second avenue and
Yester Way this morning at 1:50 o'clock.
His assailant escaped on a passing car.
Harris was taken to the city hospital,
where it was said he would live. He
suffered two cuts in the back of the
neck, two in the back, one grazing his
spine and one on his left temple.

ELLIS NOMINEE AT LAST.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 13.—At a Conser-
vative convention for Ottawa west,
held last night, J. F. Ellis, city treas-
urer and former mayor, was nominated
to contest the constituency for the On-
tario legislature. Mr. Ellis is presi-
dent of the Ottawa Conservative Asso-
ciation. He was a candidate for the
federal nomination, but was defeated
by A. E. Frapp, Conservative mem-
ber-elect for the Commons.

REGISTERED MAIL STOLEN.

Pittsburg, Kan., Oct. 13.—Robbers
who entered the post office at Mul-
berry, 15 miles east of Pittsburg, early
to-day, escaped with several packages
of registered mail. One package is said
to have contained \$10,000, being sent to
the Sheridan Coal Company to pay its
miners.



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EAMES AND GOGORZA

CONCERT TO-NIGHT

Crowded House is Anticipated—Programme Well Chosen From Classics

The musical critic of the Vancouver News-Advertiser, writing of Madame Eames and Signor de Gogorza, who sing at the Victoria theatre to-night, says:

It will be a long time before Vancouver lovers of music will have an opportunity of hearing again on the same platform such eminent singers as Madame Emma Eames and Signor Emilio de Gogorza, and seemingly realizing this exceptional opportunity in store for them, they filled the Vancouver opera house on Monday evening until there was not even room left for the proverbial pin. To go into biographical histories or reminiscences of these two stellar exponents of vocal music is needless, for their careers, which have carried them through many lands and always onward to the highest pinnacle of success, are too well known to require repetition. Monday's performance was a musical feast, if one may be permitted to use such a common-place phrase, and the audience entered into the festive spirit of the occasion, establishing thereby unconsciously that bond of close relationship between artist and auditor which goes so far toward making a performance a complete intellectual and artistic success.

Madame Eames was never heard to better advantage than on that occasion. Her beautiful soprano is full of strength and feeling, and throughout her entire vocal range there was not a single note that did not vibrate the bell-like purity for which the great diva is so justly famous. Comparisons are always odious, no matter how well-meant, and would be likewise out of place on this occasion, as Madame Eames is absolutely in a class by herself as an artist of great accomplishment and more wonderful natural gifts. Her renditions of the two Franz Schubert songs, "Liedesbotschaft" and "Streicheln am Spinnrade," were splendid exhibitions of what might be termed the more modernized or German conception of bel canto, while her other solo parts gave her a fine opportunity to display the more serious and dramatic side of her vocal mastery. As for Signor Emilio de Gogorza, his baritone, which in sweetness and timbre resembles closely the divine charms of a lyre tenor, is one of those heavenly gifts where one may not employ the terms, "technique" and "finesse," without uttering platitudes, and be guilty of sacrilege. Signor de Gogorza's voice is simply an instrument used to convey truly felt messages from the heart of the artist to the heart of his auditor. It matters not whether his voice was trained in the French, Italian or perhaps German school, the fact remains that the eminent singer's art is international. It knows no language and has no boundary, for it is as immortal as the divine outpourings of a heart that breaks with passion and touches the heart-strings of the one so privileged to listen to it.

The "Orb" rubber football is for sale at the Victoria Sporting Goods Co., Pemberton Block.

JUVENILE DEPRAVITY

SHOWN IN BOY WITNESS

Laughing in Witness Box Youth Tells Story That Amazes Court

A tale of youthful degeneration and degradation, a tale in which he alleged he had suffered an indignity for the purpose of getting a man arrested to obtain revenge against him for a fancied injury, was told in the county court yesterday afternoon, at the trial of Bonnycastle Dale, by a boy named Stevens, aged seventeen years and six months.

For over two hours the boy was mercilessly cross-examined by Fred Peters, K.C., on similar lines to the cross-examination conducted by H. D. Helms, K.C., at the preliminary hearing, where 55 pages of evidence were taken in cross-examination of the boy. The youth showed extraordinary intelligence for his age and had a perfect command of the English language. He had been educated in England where, he said, his father is a journalist and author.

The boy Stevens was working for the city in August. He said he had been dismissed because of his connection with the accused and he fancied Dale was to blame for his discharge. To obtain revenge he told the court he had deliberately, in conjunction with a detective, who arranged matters, induced the accused to go with him to Beacon Hill park and there commit an offence.

Witness detailed the story of his meeting with Dale, of how accused was brought into town on a false real estate transaction; how he had planned with a detective named Roberts to meet accused at the Empress hotel and park in order to make the arrest.

When Dale was arrested by the waiting constables half an hour later the boy said: "Now I've got you arrested, I hope you'll suffer as you made me suffer when you got me out of a job."

The trial is being held in camera and except law students are forbidden entrance to the court. Yesterday afternoon the accused protested through his lawyers that some young men were in the rear of the court. These, however, were law students and Judge Lampman remarked that they might stay, as such cases were the only means they had of becoming familiar with that particular line of cross-examination.

The boy Stevens in cross-examination, said he had been discharged from every employment, he had occupied since coming to Victoria. He had worked on three farms and had been discharged from all. On one of them his discharge came about because he could not get on with his employer's family. His fourth occupation was with the city.

Mr. Peters threw out a suggestion that the boy is mixed in this trial because there is money in it for him, and while Stevens denied that he had tried to blackmail the accused, he admitted that he expected \$2 or \$2.50 per day from the police during the time he had been held by the authorities for the purpose of having him appear as witness.

The boy's answers were practically direct but at times he became hesitant in regard to the evidence given by him in the police court when compared with the answers to the same questions he gave yesterday. Except for a slight nervousness shown by rolling up the front ends of his coat with his fingers of both hands, the boy went through the ordeal with composure. He was released from the box shortly before the court adjourned and Provincial Constable Cox was called. His examination is in progress to-day.

It is understood that the defence in part will be that Dale went to Beacon Hill park with Stevens, with story-writing intentions, to see things that the youth alleged were to be witnessed there.

The Postmaster-General has decided to conduct no further experiments at present in the establishment of a system of aerial mails. The statement that the French and English postal authorities had entered into negotiations with a French airman for an aerial post between Calais and Dover is therefore incorrect.

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Rev. E. W. Stapleford Interview's Minister of Education—Aims of Project

Rev. E. W. Stapleford, of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday on behalf of the new Methodist College which the denomination proposes to erect at Point Grey in connection with the new University of B. C. He had an interview with Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, during the day, and discussed the proposals for the college with him.

Mr. Stapleford, who is now college secretary for the B. C. Conference, was formerly pastor of Sixth Avenue Methodist church, and is now devoting himself to collect the funds necessary for the college buildings, and in order to do that is placing himself in touch with the leading laymen of the denomination throughout the province. The ultimate aim aimed at, he told a representative of the Times, is \$300,000, but for the present the board of governors require \$25,000 in sight for the portion of the buildings which are urgent, a uniform design being adopted, to be erected as opportunity demands.

Mr. Stapleford has just returned from the East, where he has been securing plans and suggestions for the college. Many educational centres were visited, including Toronto, Queen's, McGill, Harvard, Yale, Princeton and Columbia.

He has secured tentative plans, which will form the subject of discussion, with a view to the preparation of others, and it is the intention of the Methodist church in this province to build a college worthy of the university of which it will form an integral part.

It is not the intention to abandon Columbian College at New Westminster, where for many years splendid educational work has been done under Dr. Spross, but to remove the arts and higher work to the college, retaining Columbian College for secondary school purposes. Ultimately no doubt the buildings at Columbian College will be removed from the present site to the best residential district of the city to another location, and the property sold, but this will not be for a long period yet. Great as has been the work accomplished at this pioneer college, the day has come when a regular college hall is essential, and the splendid site at Point Grey, in close association with the university buildings, will supply that association with the academic teaching which is necessary.

The board of governors has high ideals as to what the essential spirit of the college shall be, and it will seek to so mix men training for the professions with men training in theology that a broad and sympathetic spirit towards religion will be the outcome, and its influence will be felt in the moulding of the life of this province.

In order to arouse the interest of the public, Mr. Stapleford is arranging a series of educational banquets in the principal cities of the province, and he anticipates one will be held in Victoria in December. An effort will be made to bring Rev. Dr. Chown to the Coast in the interests of the college scheme during the next few months.

HOME RELIGION NEED

OF THE PRESENT DAY

Speakers at Ecumenical Conference Discuss Religious Training of the Young

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 12.—Old-fashioned home religion was under consideration at the Ecumenical conference yesterday, and needless to say it was handled with much more tenderness and sympathy than Biblical criticism.

Sir George Smith, considered by many the most influential layman in English Methodism, said that no subject in the whole wide range of topics was more important than this. Family altar duty, maintained in the home of King George V; the book of God and the day of God had made the Anglo-Saxon race what it is.

Prof. Hamilton, of Sabbath school fame, read a paper on "The Training of the youth." He pleaded for the old standards. His theology seemed to have been constructed on a different scale from that of most of the speakers. He thought Methodism had yielded to the demand of false theology and given away too much to youth.

Some of the speakers welcomed the new psychological school, some wanted to break it down altogether, others were soundly optimistic.

Mr. Edgeworth, the only Methodist minister here from Scotland, paid a tribute to the church and Sabbath observance customs of "Auld Scotland." Now W. P. Harris, D.D., South Bend, Indiana, wanted the speakers to come down from their psychological musings to hard facts. "The youth of to-day were attending picture shows in more than they were attending churches; there were three million more women than men attending church in America to-day. He believed the solution of the trouble was in the revival of family religion."

Sir Robert Perks gave his views, the result of thirty years' experience. He said that a large class of men, for two years he spent every Sunday afternoon visiting them. He urged teachers to know the homes of the pupils, to speak to them on the street and never lose hold of them.

Rev. S. S. Henshaw, of England, believed in the Scotchman's definition of the first little stranger that arrived in his home: "Ah, mon, he's a perfect edition of humanity." "I have a great deal of sympathy with bad boys," said Mr. Henshaw. "Scampishness is not necessarily sinful. A teasing, annoying kind of a boy may have as much religion in his heart as his grandmotherly critics."

Bishop Hoss protested against the cowardly abdication of the responsibility of family training on the part of the fathers. Many of them were handing it over to the mothers.

At the evening session "The Church and Young People" was the topic. The

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first speaker was Bishop Quayle, of wide repute in the U. S. and as an orator and author, who talks at times like a whirlwind. His address was an appeal to the church to care for its youth, who were needed for the church of to-morrow. Some people expected youth to be better than their elders. Young people did not want to be whipped at and nagged. So long as the Lord gave the world young people the church would need young people's societies. There were too many weeping Jeremiahs. Young people wanted to be helped, not criticised and scolded.

A strong deliverance was made by Rev. I. Hudson, New Zealand, on young people's recreations. He was very liberal in his treatment of the subject and had no quarrel with any wholesome amusement; the matter of association was the main thing.

Rev. Dr. Rapdall, Chicago, leader of some of the young people in the Methodist Episcopal church, spoke of their work. "The church of to-morrow can do anything it likes," he said, "if we use the right ideas to-day. Japan introduced the public school system in 1871. That generation of boys made the empire famous." Winning, saving and training young people were the great things, he declared.

Rev. Dr. Bond spoke for Canadian Methodists and told how the young people's work had been co-ordinated by Rev. Dr. Spencer. They had been given an objective in missions and were now raising \$100,000 per year. Altogether the conference put in three days yesterday.

SILENT FOR SIX YEARS.
New York, Oct. 12.—Because her husband had not spoken to her for more than six years, Mrs. Martin F. Schrenkelson has brought suit for separation. She said that although Schrenkelson had lived in the same house with her and their six children since May 15, 1905, and she had repeatedly addressed him, he never answered a word. She said also that he had refused to support her.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.
The Dallas, Tex., Oct. 12.—Richard Holmberg was arrested here yesterday charged with the murder of the four members of the Hill family at Ardenwald, near Portland, last June.

The arrest was made on the alleged confession of two young men, Harry Howard and James Hawkins, who trumped up Holmberg all summer. The boys say they accompanied Holmberg to the Hill house for the purpose of robbery and they remained outside while Holmberg entered the home and committed the crime.

Since that time he has not allowed the youths to leave him, threatening murder if they spoke of deserting him. The two youths, aged 19 and 17 years, were arrested last night by John Kindt, a rancher near here, while they and Holmberg are alleged to have been stealing potatoes, Holmberg escaping.

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CONFINEMENT TELLS ON THE JURYMEN

Already Those in McNamara Case Are Showing the Effects of It

Los Angeles, Oct. 12.—Outdoor sleeping, a fairly common habit in Southern California, has already become a factor in the McNamara trial. Eleven talesmen, locked up for the night in the newly vacated rooms of the Hall of Records, reported that sleep was impossible for those addicted to the outdoor habit, and one of them, Zimri E. Hatt, required medical assistance during the night.

The men face long confinement in the hearing of James B. McNamara on the charge of murder in connection with the explosion and fire which destroyed the Los Angeles Times building on October 1, 1910.

Sheriff William Hammel immediately took steps to alter arrangements, and the talesmen slept last night in a roomy, vacant court-room, with many windows, across a court from the trial room. The room designed for sleeping quarters was set aside as an exercise room, and windows in both were kept open.

Even this arrangement is not considered satisfactory, however, for the talesmen to restaurants for meals. Further efforts are being made to improve conditions.

It is feared that six months of a la carte eating may prove disastrous to some of the prospective jurors, who are accustomed to home-cooking, and Sheriff Hammel is looking for a private house where the jurors may have their meals and perhaps sleep.

Some such preparations seem necessary even for the eleven talesmen now locked up, because while it is agreed that probably not more than one man, and perhaps none, will be selected from this number, their examination may drag over a week.

A state holiday—Discovery Day or Columbus Day—interrupted court proceedings yesterday, served only as a brief lull before sharp legal encounters, which are expected. Officially nothing happened, but District Attorney John D. Fredericks, in a room high up in the Hall of Records and overlooking the jail where the McNamara brothers and Carrie McManis, a first magnitude witness for the prosecution are locked up, and Attorney Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for the defence, in a downtown business block, gathered about them their assistants and drew plans for the impending clash.

Judge Walter Bordwell, before whom the case is on trial, took occasion to visit his chambers and dispose of routine matters, in order to have a clear field when court opens. All preparations centred on the intention of the defence to ascertain if possible their real feelings toward labor organizations. Judge Bordwell already has ruled favorably on certain questions along this line, but the extent to which the interrogation may be carried and the method in which it shall be done remain to be determined.

Z. T. Nelson, a talesman who was being examined when court adjourned, is scheduled for further examination to-day.

Questions thus far put by the defence will be followed by others intended to show whether the talesman is without bias, or may be challenged for cause. The previous twenty peremptory challenges allowed by law will be used only as a last recourse, and are to be pitted against ten peremptory challenges allowed the state.

PACIFIC CABLE EXTENSION.

Melbourne, Oct. 12.—Premier Ward of New Zealand moved in the House of Representatives yesterday a resolution approving of the plan of the Pacific cable board to lay a cable direct from Auckland to Sydney. The board will meet the cost, estimated at £50,000 out of the reserve fund.

The proposed new cable is very urgently needed to cope with increasing business. Traffic has been lost to a large extent lately through delays in transmission. The new cable would entirely obviate this difficulty.

The difficulty which was anticipated in the Australian parliament over the difference between the gauges of the proposed new transcontinental railway and the roads in the states, through which the new line from Port Augusta to Kalgoorlie will run, has been settled. Parliament yesterday adopted officially the standard gauge for the new transcontinental. The decision will cost the protesting states £2,000,000 to make the existing lines uniform.

AEROPLANE TEST.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 12.—Reporting that their flight, even though it did not last to the previously set destination, was in every way successful, Lieuts. G. Ellison and J. H. Towers, the navy aviators, who started for Fortress Monroe Wednesday afternoon, returned to the government aviation field yesterday. An over-heated bearing in their engine forced them to land at Smith's Point, 75 miles from Annapolis. Another attempt to reach the capes will be made with a new engine.

The naval officers were particularly pleased with the success of their experiment to prove that by the use of "shift control" two men, taking alternate turns as pilot, can avoid the fatigue that has accompanied all flights heretofore. Leaving Annapolis, Lieut. Ellison acted as pilot for 20 minutes, and then rested for 20 minutes, while Lieut. Powers did the piloting.

NO INQUEST NECESSARY.

Nanaimo, Oct. 12.—After investigating the circumstances in connection with the death of Andrew Beveridge, who committed suicide at Extension on Tuesday evening, Coroner Drysdale has considered an inquest not necessary. The funeral will take place to-day at 1 p.m.

THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Your acquaintances may be divided into two classes; the full and the empty. Some are very full, some are very empty, some are in the various grades between.

I do not use the word "full" to mean full of food or drink or both; I use it in a spiritual sense, or temperamental sense. They are apt to be fleshy, for usually fat bodies go with full souls. Their faces look full, their clothes are full, their skin seems full of stuffing, their veins full of blood, their eyes full of light, their mouth full of laughter. They remind you of a bucket of water, brimming over, spilling over as you carry it. As you look at them you seem to understand the Psalmist's saying, "My cup runneth over," and that other Scripture passage about some body or other who "waxed fat and kicked."

Dogs are full; only fullness could so wag its tail, bark, leap and scamper, just because a human soul focuses its attention upon it. Little children, healthy ones, are full. They will sleep every once in a while and laugh and perhaps hop up and down, for no apparent reason, except that they feel good—life is boiling up in them. They are interested in everything. They are seething with sap.

And some people are old, some grown old, some born old. They rustle through life like a dried bladder, are blown along by fate like a dead leaf. Their spirits are like windowless houses.

FIGHTING FRUIT PEST.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 12.—In an effort to prevent the Mediterranean fruit fly from entering California, State Horticultural Commissioner Jeffrey to-day called a quarantine order to Honolulu, directing that no bananas or pineapples be shipped to California until a method of packing which shall insure that no pest is carried in the wrapping is adopted.

The reports brought back by E. K. Carter, superintendent of the state insectary, indicate that the most stringent precautions are taken.

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SUICIDE IN SEATTLE.

Seattle, Oct. 12.—Edward Wendt, a stranger of apparent refinement, whose home is believed to be in Seymour, Wis., committed suicide in a downtown hotel yesterday by cutting his throat with a razor. Wendt was about 25 years of age. No explanation for the suicide could be found by the police, the only possible clue being a letter from a brother, Arthur, mailed from Seymour.

OLDEST MASON IN CANADA.

St. Catharines, Ont., Oct. 12.—Samuel Dolson, who died here yesterday aged 93, was the oldest Mason and Independent Odd Fellow in Canada. He joined over 60 years ago.

NO PARDON FOR WALSH.

Leavenworth, Kas., Oct. 12.—The hope of John R. Walsh for a parole from the federal prison here is dimmer than ever before. The first list of paroles granted at the last session of the federal parole board has arrived, and Walsh's name is not on the list. Attorney General Wickersham, in whose hands Walsh's case now rests, may visit the prison within a week. Many believe the delay in passing on the banker's case is occasioned by Mr. Wickersham's desire to make a personal investigation. About a dozen prisoners have been ordered paroled when "first friends" vouch for their future conduct. Two of them are former Indiana bank employees, F. H. Nicolai, of the City National Bank of Auburn, Indiana, and J.

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The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

MULTIPLYING MILLIONAIRES.

Those who during the reciprocity campaign enjoyed hugging the delusion that it was manifestly impossible for the operation of reciprocity to reduce the cost of living and raise the price of products to the agriculturist at the same time have now a tangible evidence of the fact that the defeat of the agreement can reduce the price of products and at the same time elevate the cost of living. Throughout Canada the product of very canning and packing industry has gone up in price while the products of the farm have, in inverse ratio, gone down. The Weekly Sun of Toronto gives a list of the market changes which exhibit the complete power of the interests when they are assured that their privileges, secured by the tariffs, will not be interfered with. The Sun says:

"On election day the cement combine's preferred stock was quoted at \$1. A little over a week after election the same stock stood at \$7. On election day common stock in the cement combine was selling at 44. A little over a week later the same stock was up to 69. Dominion Steel stock—the stock of one of the principal beneficiaries of the bounty system—was quoted at 53 on polling day. It has gone up six points since the election. 'How about the other side of the picture?'"

"The week before polling the top price at local cheese boards was 15c. Last week the top was 12½c. The usual thing is for cheese not to recede but to advance in price during fall. Hogs were selling off ears in Toronto the Tuesday before election at \$4.50. This week they are selling off ears at \$7.10, a drop of 45c, and a drop below the present Buffalo level. No. 1 northern wheat was selling at 84c in ports in Ontario at \$1.10 on election day. At the beginning of this week it was \$1.04½, although meantime wheat in Minneapolis had advanced by over 3c. The value of the holdings of the interests which depend on legislative favors have advanced. The selling prices of leading lines in farm products have gone back. Possibly these facts may convey some meaning to those who opposed reciprocity."

The explanation is simple. With tariff walls shutting out importation of competitive goods from America, the packers and other industrial magnates who control the buying and selling of foodstuffs can do as they like, and the election returns were not complete before they began to take their toll both

by reducing the price of what the farmers had to sell and raising the cost of what the consumers had to buy. The demonstration of loyalty to the Empire which Canada gave on September 21 appears to have profited no one but the millionaires who have been rapacious in seizing their new lease of opportunity to fleece the public. Canada is early learning that to "go on her way" and to be "independent in her fiscal affairs," as the magnates and interests so flatteringly told us we should do, was simply to put her vast populace absolutely at the mercy of the soulless trusts, combines, commercial organizations and all that class of oppressors who fatten at the public expense because of the privileges resulting from protection. Canada has made many millionaires by this policy of "protection" for everyone but those who must buy at the price charged and sell at the price offered. The Dominion unintentionally decided on September 21 that this process of spoliation is still to go on and that the millionaire class is to be multiplied. While the United States has taken the throat of monopoly with a strangle-hold, Canada has complacently invited these economic orthophagi to devour her people without mercy.

That we are not overstating the situation we direct attention to the dispatches reporting the annual meeting of the Manufacturers' association which appeared in the Tory organs yesterday. These dispatches inform us that the manufacturers considerably resolved "that it would be unwise to embarrass the incoming administration at Ottawa by any pronouncement (upon tariff revision) at this time." Their theory is that, having the government completely in their power, they can proceed to do the "embarrassing" at any time they may think it opportune to do so. They will not wait long.

The association did not, however, wait to intimate what direction their "specific tariff changes" when asked for, are doomed to take. They demand that the government fix the British preference at a "flat rate of 33 1-3 per cent." This means that it is not to be increased. Whatever Great Britain may decide to do in the matter of tariff reform, which in inevitable the British preference, being fixed, will result in an increase in the present tariff on British imports. Thus does

Canada—so patriotic, so loyal to the Empire and the Mother Country, under the wise paternalism of the "Interests," propose to demonstrate her loyalty. It is thus that Canadian consumers are to pay in order that there may be "a system of preferential tariffs put into operation which will reach from England round the world and back to England again," as Mr. Borden so eloquently put it in all his platform utterances. With a Chinese wall against every other country the harpies within the Empire will tax the consumer what they please.

With the privileged classes making their last successful stand and knowing that the end is but a few years off, the rapine and plunder is to be riotous while it lasts and at the end Canada will write on the great roster of her immortals the names of a multiplied number of millionaires who were wise in their generation; wiser even than the children of light.

NATIONAL TRANSCONTINENTAL.

There is a new book called "The Making of a Great Canadian Railway" just issued from the press of a firm of London publishers. It is written by Frederick A. Talbot, who is also the author of "The New Garden of Canada." This new volume has a peculiar interest and deserves more than passing mention, as it is a complete history of the genesis and birth of the project and the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, Canada's national highway. Beginning with the problems of transportation for the new North in Canada, it tells the story of how Mr. Charles M. Hays "has changed the map of Canada as one of the most fascinating romances of modern times." A perusal of the work, covering some 350 pages, amply justifies this estimate by the author.

After a recital of the problem of financing the gigantic enterprise—which we take as authentic—the author deals with the engineering problems respecting both the surveying of the route and the construction of the road, the last links of which are now under contract. In preparation for his work the author travelled over every foot of the line, sometimes on pack horses and sometimes on foot, but covering the whole vast extent of the surveys. The narrative makes no pretence at literary adornment of fact or embellishment of incident, though by this it must not be understood that the literary features of the work are faulty. The straightforward story is one of its chief charms, and the selection of the matter incorporated shows the discrimination of the elevated critic of events. It has all the elements of a first-class frontier story—exciting as these always are—but its best value lies in the fact that it records the march of the subjugation of nature, of settlement and of civilization.

The physical character of the country through which the line passes, the quality of the soil, the natural resources, the geographical relation of

the various sections of the country, capable of and inviting settlement, to the future lines of commerce; all these receive the careful description necessary to the conveyance of adequate general information of Canada's Northern latitudes.

In his summing up the author says: "By the time the government's years of grace, enabling the railway to create its traffic, and to establish its footing firmly on the ladder of prosperity, have expired, the system should have a position of unassailable independence. If the present state of affairs is maintained, there is every indication that a setback in Canada's economic expansion is remote in the extreme—and the country along the new railway continues to be settled as rapidly as is the case to-day, then those who have supported the enterprise will gain a rich reward. The work has been prosecuted with remarkable vigor and, bearing in mind the innumerable and prolonged difficulties that have had to be overcome, undoubtedly it ranks as one of the greatest achievements of modern times. Certainly it is one of the most stupendous undertakings that a young country of less than 7,000,000 people ever attempted."

The book is illustrated—not profusely, but sufficiently—with photographs which show some of the most interesting features of the route as well as many of the problems of construction. Besides the interest which the following of the route must have afforded the author, the work is valuable to the reader and a distinct favor has been conferred on those who desire a connected narrative of this gigantic achievement from its inception to its practical completion.

The latest society recruit to the Gaiety Theatre Company in London is Eleanor Montgomerie, daughter of Lady Sophia Constance Montgomerie, and niece of the Earl of Elington. She gives her own reasons for going on the stage. She has become tired, she says, of rounds of house parties and dances and an idle life generally. Those who know the Gaiety will not be inclined to accept this explanation.

It is somewhat amusing to note the frequency with which Conservatives, referring to the late election, credit Premier McBride with having "kept his word" or having "done it." By the same process of reasoning Premier Whitney of Ontario has reached the Nth power. Neither of these premiers would care to be held personally responsible for some of the things done during the campaign or on election day.

Those who know the inner story of how portfolios in the Borden cabinet slipped through the fingers of Hon. Richard McBride and Hon. W. J. Bowser must chuckle as they read the eulogy of the premier when he described the government as "one of the strongest aggregations of talent ever placed in charge of the public affairs of Canada." Just as soon as Hon. Mr. Bowser gets his compartment Saratoga unpacked we shall be delighted to hear his version of the case.

Among the passengers who last week arrived at Boston from Liverpool was A. Tennyson Dickens, the eldest son of Charles Dickens, the famous author. Dickens is to give a series of lectures on his father's works. He is now 66 years old. When he was 20 he went to Australia in a spirit of adventure, and has remained there ever since. His residence is in Melbourne. It is his first visit to America. He has just finished a twelve months' tour of England. While in London this summer he suffered from sunstroke and for a time thought he might have to cancel his tour, but by taking a much-needed rest he recovered.

The Toronto Telegram (Tory) is nothing if not game. It says: "It will be an accident if the Borden government is adorned by the presence of anybody who is not steeped to the eyebrows in affiliations with the trusts and corporations. The good intentions and personal integrity of Mr. Borden and the best of his associates will be no guarantee of usefulness to the public. Canadian nationalists chose R. L. Borden as the only instrument by which reciprocity could be defeated. They can only hope and pray that a Borden government will be more sympathetic to the public and less friendly to the trusts than the past performances of his chief advisers and first favorites would indicate. And that accident did not happen. The foregoing prevented the catastrophe to the trusts."



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—The Christadelphians, having secured the Foresters hall, Broad street, for Sunday evening lectures, will (D.V.) give the first on Sunday next, October 15th, when Mr. D. Hall, Vancouver, late of Leeds, England, will speak on the subject of "The Covenant with David fulfilled with the setting up of the Kingdom of God upon the earth. Seats free. No collection."

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—A full attendance is requested at the annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club to be held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, Blanchard street, on Monday at 3 o'clock.

—A new standard highway known as the West road, along the Slocan river, also the K. I. O. road, traversing lot 24, tp. 26, Slocan district, Yale, each to be 66 feet wide, have been announced by the minister of public works, through the official medium. Front street, Nicola, has also been widened to the standard width, 66 feet.

—Thomas Dooley, well remembered by the old residents of Victoria as an amateur comedian of ability, is to be director of the Pierrot troupe recently formed by the Ancient Order of Foresters of the city. The association will give entertainments throughout the winter, the preliminary practices for which have been held off and on during the fall, another one to take place to-night at the Foresters' hall.

—Hunters who fail to comply with the law by taking out the necessary permit or who infringe upon the regulations, are being properly brought to task by the South Saanich authorities. Several have been captured and fined, and other cases are pending. Some are found shooting in places prohibited by law, while others are carrying no permits to shoot at all, and fines of \$10 and costs are the result of their carelessness.

—By an order-in-council recently adopted smoking in the parliament buildings is to be prohibited during office hours. The edict, which will be issued shortly, and which will be general in its application, is to date from the 15th inst.—It is understood that the new order is due, not so much to any official objection to the weed, as to the general failure to observe a discriminating judgment in smoking during hours.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2:15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 6:45 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Victoria at 11:45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7 a. m.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Thursdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Mondays at 10 a. m.

Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2:30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 4:45 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 6 p. m., arriving Seattle at 12 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1:15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Iniquity, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and the Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle at 8 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 11:30 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

A. C. FLUMERFELT ELECTED DIRECTOR

Goes on Board of Granby Company, With Which He Was Long Identified

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—A. C. Flumerfelt, of Victoria, was this week elected a member of the board of directors of the Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Grand Forks and Phoenix. He will once more be in touch with its affairs, in which he formerly took a prominent part.

For several years he filled the important position of assistant to the president, an office then filled by the late S. H. C. Miner, of Granby, Que., and resided at Grand Forks. When Mr. Flumerfelt also resigned. Although Mr. Miner was credited with having sold most of his stock in the big company, it developed after his death that he was the second largest shareholder. Mr. Flumerfelt is the executor of the estate of the deceased millionaire.

He goes on the board at the urgent request of Jay P. Graves, of Spokane, president, who desired his counsel and co-operation owing to the location of the Granby company to extend its field of operations to northern British Columbia. Mr. Flumerfelt is well qualified for the position. He is also a director of the Eastern Townships Railway, as well as of many other large corporations and industrial companies.

The First Church of Christ, Scientists, of Victoria have been granted their incorporation papers under the Benevolent Societies Act.

The quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. A large amount of business will be up for discussion the most important being the harbor improvements at the port of Victoria.

Offers for the purchase of the provincial government engine (traction) at present housed at Mount Begbie, in the Lillooet district, will be received by J. E. Griffith, public works engineer up to the 31st of the present month.

Yesterday building permits were issued as follows: To F. B. Fox for a dwelling on Ontario street, to cost \$11,500; to F. H. Ware, dwelling on Clover street, 2,200; to Mrs. L. A. Heisterman, dwelling on Mount Shasta avenue, \$8,000; to Albert Pike, dwelling on Cambridge street, \$2,500.

There will be a tea table conference this evening at the local Y. M. C. A. to discuss work among the boys on the arrival from Vancouver of E. M. Robinson, of New York, who is in charge of boys' work for the North American continent and who is also a member of the international committee.

Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, the well known writer and lecturer, will deliver two lectures in London, England, and four in the provinces, on Victoria and Vancouver Island, and for this purpose will be supplied through the Vancouver Island Development League with a box of colored slides of views on the island, for illustrating her address.

A NEW MOVEMENT TO TRAIN TEACHERS

Rev. J. P. Westman in Victoria Propagating Scheme to Develop Training System

Rev. J. P. Westman, a former pastor of Centennial Methodist church, arrived in the city last evening and will remain for a few days, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holt, Garbally road. Mr. Westman is now field secretary for the S. S. and Young People's Societies for Alberta and British Columbia, in connection with the Methodist church. His visit here is in the interest of his department. When asked regarding the needs of the day in church work and his plans he volunteered a statement describing the views and policy which he is trying to work out. What we need to-day is trained workers who will become leaders in the different departments. We need knowledge and we need vision. The higher knowledge leads to a broader vision and this will produce a higher type of citizenship.

"In order that we may have trained workers an effort is being put forth to organize teacher training classes in connection with each congregation. During the past three months we have enrolled two hundred and seventy-five students who are taking the prescribed course for the training of teachers. In order that we may more fully develop our workers we are establishing a series of schools throughout the two provinces. These schools will be led by a number of leaders in the different departments, such as methods, missions, theology, moral reform and citizenship. Five districts are already organized, and on Tuesday evening next a joint meeting of all workers will be held in James Bay church, when the general policy for this district will be discussed, and officers appointed to lead in the efforts. We consider that the citizenship department for the young people will be the salvation of their societies."

"Having once caught a vision of their social responsibility in developing communities, we believe that the young people of our churches will take upon themselves a new lease of life." While in the city Mr. Westman will speak in Centennial Methodist church on Sunday morning, at a gathering in James Bay in the afternoon, and the Metropolitan church in the evening. On Monday he will speak in Centennial church on "The Joy of Living," and address a mass meeting of workers in James Bay on Tuesday evening. On this latter occasion a general conference will be conducted.

WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 12.—5 a. m.—An extensive ocean storm area, now centered off Vancouver Island, will cause a southerly gale on the coast and a general rainfall west of the Cascades. The weather remains fair and mild in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday, Victoria and vicinity—Increasing easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Lower Mainland—Easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Reports at 2 p. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.77; temperature, 60; minimum, 47; wind, 6 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, 52; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .01; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 52; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, part cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.61; temperature, 52; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, .05; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.58; temperature, 52; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 50; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, rain.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thurs. '11.

Temperature.
Highest 53
Lowest 43
Average 48
Rain, trace
General state of weather, cloudy.

A pot of grease boiled over on the range in the kitchen of Steitz's restaurant last evening at 11:30, necessitating the call of the fire department. The manager had fixed the walls of the kitchen with sheet metal against just such an occurrence, and by so doing saved his establishment.

BISHOP OF COLUMBIA LEAVES FOR ENGLAND

Dr. Perrin Departs to Take Up Appointment in London—An Useful Episcopate

Bishop Perrin left Victoria to-day on the afternoon boat en route for England after 18 years administration of the Anglican diocese of Columbia, but unlike many members of the episcopate who have ruled in different parts of the overseas dominions he does not depart in broken health and leaving the best years of his life behind him, but rather will carry to the administration of a case, under one of the ablest of the English bishops, a vigorous body and mind, widened by contact with problems which could not occur in an English diocese.

There is no reason why his Lordship should not do as good work for the communion with which he is associated in England as he has in this island, where he leaves behind him a host of friends not merely from the denomination with which he is connected, but from all sections of the Christian churches, and he may well follow in the footsteps of distinguished colonial bishops like the late Bishop Barry of Windsor, who retired from the metropolitan see of Sydney for a canonry, or the present Dean of Salisbury, Bishop Webb, who spent several years as a diocesan in South Africa. Another distinguished suffragan who did good work in India was Bishop Weldon, of Calcutta, who was recently appointed to the Deanery of Manchester. Nor is it impossible that his Lordship may yet become an English diocesan, as two members of the Episcopal bench at least have been called from the diocese of Adelaide to English sees—Bishop Kennon of Bath and Wells and Bishop Harmer of Rochester. A few years ago the appointment to the position of suffragan was regarded as the final step, but the translations of Archbishop Lang and Bishop Hookyns and Ridgeway from suffragan sees to the positions, they now hold have changed this condition of things entirely.

His friends in Victoria and Vancouver Island will hope for an equal recognition of the bishop's abilities. They recognize that much remains to be done in this diocese, and the bishop himself explained in his charge to the recent diocesan synod, and the question of the new cathedral must come up at no very distant date, together with the provision of a better house for the Episcopal residence.

Dr. Perrin took an active share in the interests which go to make up a community, and was a strong supporter of temperance and educational efforts. In many ways his influence on the community will be much missed. He gave ungrudging support to philanthropic movements, and believed that the function of a bishop was something more than that of a student and diocesan administrator.

The new bishop will not require consecration, as Bishop of Willedeen, being already in bishops' orders, but probably the appointment of the Bishop of Kensington to the diocese of Salisbury, void by the death of Bishop Wordsworth, will require him to take up his new duties as soon as possible, the amount of detail work devolving on the suffragans of the diocese of London being enormous. The addition of another assistant bishop was not unexpected, as Bishop Ingram has frequently spoken of the great pressure put upon him in a diocese of the population he has under his pastoral charge, although the creation of the see of Southwark in 1905 greatly relieved the position south of the Thames.

The synod will meet for the appointment of a successor next month, and the clergyman selected must be in priest's orders, according to the canon. One name is already mentioned for the vacancy, but it is too early to prophecy, the synod taking care to guard its secrets.

As it is almost certain that the first archbishop of the archdiocese of this province will be the senior bishop, Columbia loses its position, and Dr. Du Vernet, of Caledonia, is now senior bishop in the province.

A number of the prominent members of the clergy and laity attended to witness the departure of the Bishop, and to bid him good-bye, expressing the hope that he would be out again on the coast to see them before very long. Mrs. Perrin is already in England.

There has been a sale this week at Bishopsclose, the Episcopal residence.

CRUELTY SOCIETY BUSY

Reports to Directorate Shows Excellent Work Performed in Humane Interests.

As evidenced by the reports recently submitted to the provincial directors, the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has been kept busy during the preceding summer. Many cases have been investigated and many prosecutions, and fines have resulted, but the work goes on with undiminished vigor. As an indication of the wide operations of the society it may be stated that no less than 187 cases of alleged cruelty were carefully investigated, 31 prosecutions initiated and nine aggregating \$230 collected. Of the minor cases in which fines were deemed inexpedient, 125 careless or cruel drivers of horses were severely cautioned. Fifty-nine cases of "vet" treatment were ordered, and nine animals were mercifully destroyed. The society has extended its operations so as to assume the care and protection of poultry. Successful prosecution was recently made by this department of the society, the offence being that of plucking live fowls.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD

Lonely Death of Old Lady Who Passed Away Unnoticed.

An inquest is being held this afternoon to inquire into the cause of the death of Mrs. Hounslow, who, at the

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CITY ENGINEER MAY SECURE INCREASE

Tussle Between Mayor and Aldermen Expected This Evening

EAMES-GOGORZA

A full and fashionable audience will occupy the Victoria theatre this evening on the occasion of the first concert to be given under the auspices of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Society, at which the famous vocalists, Madame Emma Eames, and her husband Emilio de Gogorza, will render the following classic programme:

1. Duos—
(a) Oh Would That My Love F. Mendelssohn
(b) The Passage Bird's Farewell F. Mendelssohn
(c) The May-birds and Flowers F. Mendelssohn
2. (a) Par le Scintille Th. Dubois
(b) Arioso le Roi de Lahore J. Massenet
M. de Gogorza.
3. (a) Arioso—La Princesse du Na-Varre J. Ph. Rameau
Madame Eames.
(b) Piano Solo—
(c) Nocturne on Sol Major, F. Chopin
(d) Polonaise in A Flat F. Chopin
M. Henri Gilles.
5. Duos—
(a) Swing Song A. Messenger
(b) Trot Here and There (Veronique) A. Messenger
Madame Eames and Signor de Gogorza.
6. Three Indian Songs founded upon tribal melodies—
(a) The White Dawn Is Stealing C. W. Cadman
(b) Far Off I Hear a Lover's Flute C. W. Cadman
(c) From the Land of the Sky C. W. Cadman
Signor de Gogorza.
7. (a) Liebeschloß F. Schubert
(b) Zehnungung R. Strauss
(c) Canzons F. M. Alvarez
(d) Les Ojos Negros F. M. Alvarez
Signor de Gogorza.
9. Aria from "Butterfly" G. Puccini
Madame Eames.
10. St. Francis De Paul Walking on the Waters F. Liszt
M. Henri Gilles.
11. The Early Morning G. Poul
The Daisy's Song K. Schindler
Prelude Mrs. Beach
Madame Eames.
12. Duo—Cavalleria Rusticana (Alfro-Santoza) P. Mascagni
Madame Eames and Signor de Gogorza.
Godd Save the King.
Monsieur Henri Gilles at the piano.

MONEY FOR SCHOOLS.
Legality of Submitting By-Law to Raise Funds Questioned and Discussed.

Representatives of the school board will meet with the finance committee and the city solicitor to-day to discuss the legal point involved in the raising of \$15,000 which the board requires for school works. The legality of submitting a by-law to the ratepayers for the specific purpose of raising the money at this time is questioned. In the event of the legal point being successfully negotiated it is likely that the by-law will be submitted forthwith.

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FANS MAY CHOOSE FROM FOUR GAMES

Association Football Matches
at Four Places Again This
Saturday—The Teams

Association football fans have four games to choose from to-morrow afternoon, when selecting their week-end entertainment. Naturally, the favorite sports of the season are the North Ward and Royal Athletic parks, which are more convenient and are, the latter at least, better provided with accommodation for spectators than the other football grounds. No matter what the teams are they are always sure of a fair crowd when playing at either of these places. However, the central location is not the only attraction this Saturday, for both games promise to be exceptionally interesting.

At the Royal Athletic, Victoria West and the Sons of England, senior teams, meet and, if nothing goes wrong, the latter aggregation expects to spin a big surprise on the present city champions. The Sons are a new team and are not credited with a great deal of strength but they have been practicing steadily and, at all events, will put up a great fight against the Wests. At the North Ward park an intermediate game is scheduled between the Wests and James Bays. It does not look so promising from the viewpoint of those who think that good football is restricted entirely to first division games but that is incorrect in the opinion of many who have witnessed matches in both divisions. It is an incontrovertible fact that some of the second teams are almost on a par with the seniors and, in any case, the younger players can always be depended upon to put up a fast and aggressive struggle.

The Oak Bay grounds should attract a large number of the enthusiasts, for not only has it a senior soccer match, but two Rugby matches as well. The James Bays and the Foresters are the soccer contestants and will line up at 3 o'clock sharp.

One lonely second division game is slated for Beacon Hill, between the Oak Bays and the Victoria Wests. J. Doherty will referee the game at the Royal Athletic park between the Wests and the S. O. E., and W. N. Wimbey that at the North Ward park between the James Bays and the Wests. All referees will be chosen to-day. All soccer games will commence at 3 o'clock.

The teams are:

Senior Division.
James Bays—Goal, LeFevre; fullbacks, Sheriff and Lorrimer; halves, Muir, Ismay and Gerrard; forwards, Tod, Allen, Pilkington, Beech and Matthews.

Forresters—Goal, Costello; fullbacks, Cunningham and Welsh; halves, W. Young, J. Ferris and Sclater; forwards, Bromley, Patterson, Spence, Ingles, Steward, Reserves, Rowe, Burnett, Ainsley.

Victoria West—Goal, Robertson; fullbacks, Prevost and Whyte; halves, Ockell, Petticrew and Wilson; forwards, Stewart, Sherritt, Peden, Wright and Whittaker. Reserves, Kinloch and McKilrick.

Sons of England—Will be chosen from: Selfe, Brewis, Attwell, Waring, Greenhaigh, C. Martin, Douglas, Pickering, Langton, Thackeray, Attwell, Chivers, Temple, Ridgeley, Jay, Carr and J. Martin.

Second Division.
Wests—Goal, Luckett; fullbacks, R. Stewart and S. Stewart; halves, Brown, Carmichael and another; forwards, J. Youson, McDonald, H. Youson, Jamieson and Brown.

Oak Bays—Goal, A. Clarke; fullbacks, Warnicker and C. McDonald; halves, Shanks, E. McDonald and R. Pomfret; forwards, Langton, Thackeray, Attwell, Chivers, Temple, Ridgeley, Jay, Carr and J. Martin.

Wards—Goal, McArthur; fullbacks, Pike and Bishop; halves, McGregor, Tanncliffe and Menzies; forwards, T. Kirby, Ridges, Ward, Muir and A. Kerley.

FIELD HOCKEY IS INAUGURATED TO-DAY

First Game of Season This
Afternoon—Victoria Club's
Annual Meeting To-night

Hockey in the city may be said to have been inaugurated to-day, as the boys' team of the high school is playing the university school the first match of the season this afternoon. It is being played on the University grounds.

This evening the annual meeting of the Victoria Hockey Club will be held in the Balmoral hotel. The officials will make their reports and the club will be organized for the 1912 season. On Saturday night the B. C. Hockey League will meet at Vancouver for the purpose of organization. It is expected that delegates will be present from Victoria and the Garrison. The B. C. League will undoubtedly be productive of some very fine hockey this year, for as far as the interest and of it is concerned, at least, reports indicate that the teams will be exceptionally strong.

The High School Girls' Hockey Club has been organized for some time past and the team has been holding practices two or three times a week in preparation for matches which it expects to bring off shortly. Kate Jackson has been elected captain and Emma Willie, vice-captain. The high school teams owe a great deal to Professor Hope, whose untiring efforts to secure matches for them and help in other ways has done much to arouse interest in the game amongst the pupils. He is now trying to get a game for a mixed team, boys and girls, against the university, which, if it can be arranged, will be played within a few days.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Standing of the Clubs
New York, Oct. 12.—The pennant struggle in the National League was definitely settled three days ago, but the official close of the championship season did not occur until to-day. Three games were played, the pennant winning New Yorks dropping a double-header to Brooklyn and the Chicago team, the runners-up, losing to Cincinnati. The positions of the eight clubs remain as they were when the battle for the flag was decided. The final standing of the National League teams follows:

At New York
First Game.
Brooklyn R. H. E.
New York 3 6 0
Batteries—Ragon and Miller; Ames and Meyers.

Second Game.
Brooklyn R. H. E.
New York 5 9 2
Batteries—Dent and Erwin; Drucke, Maxwell, Faust and Hartley.

At Cincinnati
Chicago R. H. E.
Cincinnati 4 12 1
Batteries—Staphica and Graham; Humphreys, Boyd and McLean, Severid.

ATHLETICS WIN
Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—The Philadelphia team, champions of the American league, played their final game here to-day with the All-Stars, in preparation for the world's series with the New York Nationals. Philadelphia won, 3 to 2. The home team got only five hits from aiding in the scoring of two of their runs. Manager Connie Mack of

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JUNIOR FOOTBALL POSTPONED A WEEK

Teams Unprepared to Take the
Field To-morrow—New
Schedule Drawn Up

At the meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association held last evening it was decided that, owing to the fact that many of the boys have not been registered, the junior football series (under 16) will not commence until a week from Saturday. It was intended that it should open to-morrow and a schedule had been drawn up, but on account of the unprepared state of the teams it was found necessary to draw up another one. The new schedule follows:

COAST LEAGUE
Afternoon Game.
San Francisco R. H. E.
Sacramento 6 11 1
Batteries—Miller and Berry; Mahoney and Thomas.
At Oakland.
Oakland R. H. E.
Vernon 1 5 1
Batteries—Pernoll and Pearce; Castleton, Stewart and Brown.
At Los Angeles.
First Game.
Los Angeles R. H. E.
Portland 5 12 2
Batteries—Palmer and Brooks; Steen and LaLonde.
Second Game.
Los Angeles R. H. E.
Portland 1 5 1
Batteries—Levens and Abbott; Seaton and LaLonde.

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TWO VIEWS OF BASEBALL

The people who believe that professional baseball is a bad thing for Canada and those who hold that it is worthy of public patronage will both find something to please them in a two-part article in the current issue of The Canadian Courier. Ernest Peterson claims that professional baseball "can no longer in any legitimate sense be regarded as sport." He says that "the whole baseball organization is tainted through and through by a venal commercialism." He declares that the spectators are quite willing that the game should be poor baseball provided that the home team wins. He holds that "the whole temper of the game is in absolute antithesis to all that is usually accounted sportsmanlike and honorable." Finally, he says that professional baseball has several very bad effects on the boys and youths of the cities, and that it should be abolished from Canada.

On the other hand, "Bleacher" asserts that professional baseball is of great importance to the people of this century as the Olympic games were to ancient Greece. He claims that "baseball had to become professional because it proved to be too great a game to be played only by amateurs. He declares that professional baseball is worthy of public support because of the excellence of the playing and of the splendid way in which it is managed. Also, he asserts that each game is a real contest between two cities because although the players are mostly "aliens" the business judgment of the men behind baseball in one city is pitted against the same element in the other cities.

CALGARY BEATEN

Liverpool, Oct. 13.—The Hillhurst football team, of Calgary, touring this country, played a strong reserve team here yesterday. Liverpool won by five goals to four. Local sporting writers say that the Canadians promise to develop a good article of football.

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SPORT NOTES

The registration committee of the local branch of the B. C. A. A. U. will meet in the J. B. A. A. club rooms this evening for the purpose of considering several applications for re-instatement.

A meeting of the dance committee of the Victoria Lacrosse Club will be held in S. H. Ockell & Co.'s offices this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, when business of importance will be transacted. The following are requested to attend: E. Christopher, S. H. Ockell, W. Blake, C. G. Clute, Rowens, E. Taylor, F. Sweeney, J. Hancock, B. Johnson, Leo Sweeney and Louis McDonald.

HUNT CLUB'S RUN

Members of the Victoria Hunt club, which is holding its first run to-morrow, will meet at the Willows at 2:30 p. m. A course towards Cadboro Bay and back will be followed. Secretary

Morton, who is arranging the run, expects a good turn out of members.

WORLD'S SERIES

The batting orders of the teams which take the field to-morrow in the first game of the world's series at the Polo grounds, New York, are:

New York.
Devore, 1. f.
Doyle, 2. b.
Snodgrass, c. f.
Murray, r. f.
Merkle, 1. b.
Herzog, 3. b.
Fletcher, s. s.
Meyers, c.
Mathewson, p.

Philadelphia.
Lord, 1. f.
Oldring, c. f.
Collins, 2. b.
Baker, 3. b.
Murphy, r. f.
McInnes, 1. b.
Barry, s. s.
Thomas, c.
Bender, p.

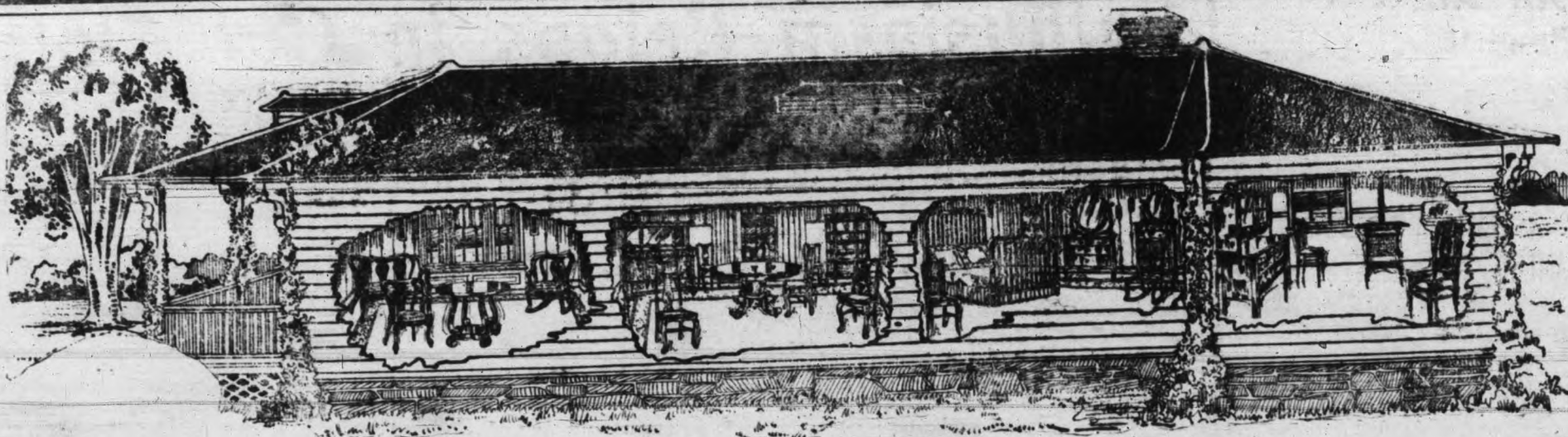
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SANITARY ROLL TOP DESK, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 34 x 60 \$85.00
SANITARY ROLL TOP DESK, solid quarter cut oak, Early English finish, 32x50 \$60.00
SANITARY DOUBLE FLAT TOP DESK, solid quarter cut oak, dull golden finish, 60x48 \$60.00
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UNPLEASANT WEATHER SOUTH FROM SKAGWAY

Princess Royal Encountered
Strong Gales and Fogs—De-
layed in Reaching Port

Fucking strong southeast gales for several days after leaving Skagway on her southbound trip and then encountering dense fogs during the remainder of the passage, the C. P. R. steamer Princess Royal (Capt. Locke), was delayed considerably in reaching this port. She did not tie up at the inner docks until late last night, being one day late. Owing to her belated arrival the Royal will have but a short stay in port, being scheduled to sail north again tonight.

It was one of the dirtiest trips the officers have experienced this year. The winds blew with terrific force just after she left Skagway and she was buffeted about severely. No sooner had the gales died down and the sea became smooth than a heavy mist settled over the waters and the Royal had to proceed cautiously through the dangerous passages. She reached the entrance to Vancouver harbor on Wednesday night but owing to the thickness of the fog, Capt. Locke, dropped anchor in English Bay remaining there until yesterday morning when he passed through the Narrows.

One hundred and eighty passengers were brought south, on the Royal, a number coming through to Victoria, to disembark. This is stated to be the finish of the southbound rush from Skagway as the river boats on the Yukon have suspended service for the winter months and all the people in the interior of Alaska who wish to winter in the south have reached the coast. Among those who arrived on the Royal were Jas. Guggenheim, one of the American mining kings who has a great hold on the mineral wealth of Alaska; O. B. Perry, manager of the Guggenheim mines; and Land Commissioner Hays, of the G. T. P.

The Royal commenced this morning to take on her northbound cargo. She will have about fifty tons of general freight from this port for Prince Rupert and Skagway. The steamer will also have a number of passengers from here.

WIRELESS REPORTS

October 12, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Raining; wind S. E.; thick seaward; 29.73; 55; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; rain; wind S. E.; light; thick fog seaward; 29.75; 49; sea moderate.
Tatoosh—Light rain; wind S. E.; 12 miles; 29.75; 53; sea moderate. Out-
steamer, probably Col. Drake, with
haze in fog, at 4:30 a. m.; in steamer
Thor, at 7:45 a. m.
Pachena—Raining; wind S. E.; light;
29.48; 49; sea rough.
Estevan—Drizzling; calm; 29.33; 50;
hazy seaward. Spoke Tees ahead of
here at 7 a. m. southbound; Empress
of Japan at 8 p. m. 440 miles from
Victoria.
Triangle—Cloudy; calm; wind S. E.;
24 miles; 29.35; 40; sea rough.
Ikeda—Cloudy; wind S. E.; strong
gale; 29.35; 52; sea rough.
Princess Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.50;
54; sea moderate.
Dead Tree Point—Overcast; wind S.
E.; strong gale; sea rough. Lillooet
at Skidegate.
Noon.
Point Grey—Raining; wind S. E.;
light; thick seaward. 29.60; 55; sea
moderate.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; raining; wind
S. E.; strong; hazy seaward. 29.65; 40;
sea rough. Two-masted yacht with
yellow funnel northbound at 8:45
a. m.
Tatoosh—Light rain; wind S. E.; 18
miles; 29.59; 53; sea rough.
Pachena—Raining; wind S. E.; moder-
ate gale. 29.35; 49; sea rough.
Estevan—Passing showers; wind S.
E.; fresh. 29.22; 52; heavy swell.
Triangle—Raining; wind S. E.; 33
miles; 28.87; 38; sea rough.
Ikeda—Raining; wind S. E.; strong
gale. 29.19; 52; sea rough.
Princess Rupert—Overcast; wind east.
29.34; 64; sea moderate. Out-Prin-

WEATHERING TERRIFIC SOUTHEASTERLY GALE

Empress of Japan Being De-
layed in Reaching Port—
Speed Has Been Reduced

Through running into a stiff south-
easterly gale when nearing the coast
of this island, the speed of the R. M. S.
Empress of Japan, Capt. Robison, has
been reduced, and according to the
latest reports she will not arrive at
the outer wharf from Yokohama and
Hongkong until some time to-morrow
afternoon. The wireless reports received
this morning stated that the white
liner was 640 miles from this port last
night at 8 o'clock, and it is not likely
that she will be at the head much
before 3 o'clock.

Judging from the reports which were
received by the operator at Estevan
yesterday and the morning before, the
skipper of the Empress stated that he
would be at Vancouver at 5 o'clock to-
morrow morning. The speed of the
steamship must have been reduced
materially, and it must be a pretty
fierce storm she is weathering. All the
west-coast wireless stations stated in
their reports this morning that a
strong southeast gale was raging along
the west coast.

The white liner is coming across the
Pacific from the Orient with a large
passenger list and also a good cargo of
general freight. Among the passengers
are a number of missionaries from the
interior parts of China. The Empress
has a silk cargo valued at a million
dollars, and she will be late in dis-
charging it at Vancouver. If the fog is
still prevalent when she is ready to
leave this port to cross the Gulf she
will be further delayed.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

October 12
San Francisco, Cal. Arrived:
Steamers Chiyu Maru, Hankow; Beaver, Portland; Fife, Bandon; Tiverton, Everett; Avon, Wellington.
Sailed: Steamers Winnemucca, Mor-
rison; Nome City, Toronto; 12:00: As-
toria, schooner Oregan, Cape May.
Commodore Wash, Arrived: Steamer
Watson, San Francisco. Sailed:
Steamer No. 10, Seattle.
Los Angeles, Cal. Arrived: Gray's
Harbor, Aberdeen; Balmor, Willapa
Harbor. Sailed: President, Seattle;
Alert, Bellingham.
Portland, Ore. Arrived: Steamer
Tamalpais, San Francisco; British
steamer Strathairn, San Francisco.
Sailed: Norwegian steamer Ryfylke,
Oriental ports; gasoiler schooner An-
vil, Bandon and way ports.

Nearby Set Adrift.
West Steamer Ryfylke Breaks Lines
And Tows Cleats From Dock At
Portland.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 12.—Laden with
about \$250,000 worth of flour, the
Waterhouse trans-Pacific freighter
Ryfylke, came near being set adrift in
the river by swells from the steamer
Carlos, which is said to have gone by
the big Oriental liner, lying at the
Portland Flouring Mills, at a high rate
of speed.

The mooring lines of the Ryfylke part-
ed and some of the cleats on the dock
to which they had been made fast were
torn out. It was at 9:30 in the evening
and fortunately the officers and crew
had not retired for the night. As
quickly as possible they hustled out on
deck and succeeded in making the
steamer fast again before she could
drift away in the current.

The Ryfylke cleared for Hongkong
with flour valued at \$246,163 and left
at daylight yesterday.

HAS MILLION IN GOLD
Victoria Sails From Nome for Seattle
With Treasure Aboard.

Nome, Alaska, Oct. 12.—The steamer
Victoria, which sailed for Seattle Tues-
day with six hundred passengers, has
more than a million dollars in treasure
aboard. The gold is the output of sev-
eral mines in the Seward Peninsula
district and is the second large ship-
ment sent to Seattle within the last few
days. Two more steamers are to sail
for the States before navigation in
Behring Sea is closed for the winter,
and it is expected that they will carry
large amounts of treasure.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, October, 1951						
Date	Time-High		Time-Low		Time-High	
	h.	m.	h.	m.	h.	m.
1	3:46	27	12:08	8.1	3:46	27
2	3:50	28	12:07	8.1	3:50	28
3	3:56	28	11:59	7.7	3:56	28
4	4:02	29	11:50	7.6	4:02	29
5	4:08	30	11:40	7.5	4:08	30
6	4:14	31	11:30	7.4	4:14	31
7	4:19	31	11:20	7.4	4:19	31
8	4:25	32	11:10	7.4	4:25	32
9	4:30	32	11:00	7.4	4:30	32
10	4:36	31	10:50	7.4	4:36	31
11	4:41	31	10:40	7.4	4:41	31
12	4:46	31	10:30	7.4	4:46	31
13	4:51	30	10:20	7.4	4:51	30
14	4:56	29	10:10	7.4	4:56	29
15	5:01	28	10:00	7.4	5:01	28
16	5:06	27	9:50	7.4	5:06	27
17	5:11	26	9:40	7.4	5:11	26
18	5:16	25	9:30	7.4	5:16	25
19	5:21	24	9:20	7.4	5:21	24
20	5:26	23	9:10	7.4	5:26	23
21	5:31	22	9:00	7.4	5:31	22
22	5:36	21	8:50	7.4	5:36	21
23	5:41	20	8:40	7.4	5:41	20
24	5:46	19	8:30	7.4	5:46	19
25	5:51	18	8:20	7.4	5:51	18
26	5:56	17	8:10	7.4	5:56	17
27	6:01	16	8:00	7.4	6:01	16
28	6:06	15	7:50	7.4	6:06	15
29	6:11	14	7:40	7.4	6:11	14
30	6:16	13	7:30	7.4	6:16	13
31	6:21	12	7:20	7.4	6:21	12

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"PRO" SOCCER MATCH THANKSGIVING DAY

Cumberland Coming Names of
Victoria's Professional Players
Given Out

As arranged at the annual meeting of the B. C. Professional Football League held in this city last Monday evening, Victoria's first professional soccer game will be played here on Thanksgiving Day. Cumberland is sending down an eleven, composed for the most part of Old Country footballers, on that date.

That the game will be the finest in the history of local football there is no reason to doubt. Never has such a well balanced team been brought together in Victoria than that which, if the plans of the local "pro" club do not go astray, will represent Victoria in "Con." Jones' league. Most of the players are known to Victorians, having played either in the city or in Ladysmith, Nanaimo or Vancouver, but several of them are acquisitions almost direct from the Old Country, who, if their records go for anything, are players of a higher class than any hitherto seen in the province.

The probable members of the club, as announced by the manager, Dave Dougan, last evening, are: Goalkeepers, Dougan and Home; full backs, Crawford and Tommy Miller; halves, Joe Bayley, Ferris, "Scott" Harley and Pearson; forwards, F. Youson, A. Muir, J. Peden, George Pickering, Whittaker, McLeod and Thomas.

Tommy Miller is now in Vancouver, but is expected to report to Victoria in a week or so. He is an English international, and is not a "has been" by any means. He is at the age when a footballer just reaches his greatest years of usefulness.

"Scott" Harley played with Vancouver and Nanaimo at different times in previous years. He has a splendid record as a half back. Slater is an Old Country half back.

Whittaker is also an English footballer, having played with Manchester City. McLeod, when playing for Ladysmith, won for himself an enviable reputation as a forward.

The pick of the bunch, however, is undoubtedly Thomas, who is now on his way from Winnipeg. He played with Winnipeg last season and was considered to be the sensation of the year. He is said to be a better forward than McGulre, and so there is no need to say another word.

As regards some of the other players, Dougan, Crawford, Joe Bayley, Pearson, Youson and Muir, their ability to fill their positions creditably will not be doubted for a moment by any who have seen them play.

It must be remembered, however, that despite this galaxy of stars, which

bearing the name "Victoria," will trot on to the field on Thanksgiving Day, the home team is not going to have an easy time by any means. Cumberland has beaten Nanaimo and Ladysmith's finest teams, and claims to have the best eleven in the province at the present time. The fact that they were willing to play their first three games away from home shows that they must have good grounds for their boast.

The officers of the Victoria Professional Football Club have been elected as follows: President, S. Thompson; vice-president, A. McAuley; secretary-treasurer, J. Sullivan; team manager, Dave Dougan.

ITALY RUSHING TROOPS. Quick Action Is Decided Upon by General Caneva.

Tripoli, Oct. 12.—General Caneva, commander-in-chief of the Italian expedition, has decided to act quickly, and it is believed the troops under him will march immediately against the positions occupied by the Turks. A reconnaissance of the desert to-day disclosed the central body of the Turkish troops with field guns not far from the city.

Nineteen more Italian transports, escorted by warships, and carrying the second division of the troops, arrived this morning. The men were hastily landed.

This division is 15,000 strong, and there are now 22,000 Italian soldiers on the coast of Tripoli. Not only is the Italian position safeguarded against surprises, but an effective occupation of the interior can be begun.

It is reported that the Arabs have accepted the Italian occupation joyfully, but some of the warships remain in the harbor in readiness for emergency. Troops were also landed at Benghazi, Derna, Tobruk and Bomba.

Although the utmost precautions have been taken, cholera has broken out, and it is reported that four deaths have occurred. General Caneva has addressed a proclamation to the inhabitants, assuring them they have not been enslaved by Italy. On the contrary, they have been liberated from a yoke under which they have been laboring for years.

They will be ruled by their own chiefs under the patronage of the King of Italy. Religious and civil laws will be respected, and taxes will be reduced or abolished.

The proclamation concludes by announcing that Italy desires that Tripoli shall remain in the land of Islam under the protection of Italy.

MORMON LEADER DEAD.

Salt Lake, U. S., Oct. 12.—John Henry Smith, a member of the First Presidency of Mormon Church, being second counselor to the president, Joseph F. Smith, died early to-day, aged 63 years. He retired in his usual good health last night and about midnight was seized with a hemorrhage of the lungs, dying thirty minutes later. Two wives, four children and 18 grandchildren survive Mr. Smith. His death occurred at the home of his second wife, Josephine G. Smith. His

first wife, Sarah Carr Smith, is now in Chicago visiting relatives.

PASSENGERS IN PANIC.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 12.—Twenty-one panic-stricken passengers and members of the crew were taken from the Lena May, an Evansville steamboat, which last night was hung up here on the dam at the head of the falls in the Ohio river. The water is high and the captain intended to go over the falls as is the practice during this stage of the river. As the pilot was about to swing into the chute through the opening in the dam, the boat failed to respond and it was carried over the top of the dam. Here it remained suspended, its bow far out over an eighteen-foot drop. The boat has not been removed.

Confidence Game Played on a Washington Farmer.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—Frank Rademacher, a German farmer from Chehalis, paid \$5,500 for one copy each of the three Seattle daily newspapers and a copy of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Confidence men got his money and set a record price for newspapers.

Rademacher, tired of farming, sold his little place at Chehalis. He brought the money with him when he started to see Seattle. He arrived here on September 7, and deposited the money in local banks and began to get acquainted. One night he wandered down to Occidental avenue and met John Ardin, a Frenchman, who treated him so nicely that he decided to room in the same lodging house with Ardin.

Later, the Frenchman and a friend persuaded Rademacher to go to Alaska and get rich. They both were to leave all of their money in a safety deposit box at the Day and Night Safe Deposit & Storage Company. Rademacher thought he saw Ardin put \$10,000 into the box and he put in his \$5,500. They each got a key to the box and then Ardin gave Rademacher both of the keys to show him that he was on the square.

Ardin then suggested a pleasure trip to California which he was to finance and they started south on October 6. Last Monday they were in Sacramento and Ardin disappeared. Rademacher reported the matter to the police at Sacramento and Chief Ahern wired Seattle to keep Ardin from getting the money. The box was watched and Rademacher arrived yesterday and opened it with the result above stated.

Western Steel Receivers.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—The receivers who were appointed yesterday for the Western Steel Corporation, with capital of \$2,000,000, will serve only until the receivership is terminated. Counsel for the corporation, J. A. Moore, said that the receivership was a temporary measure.

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The Great Bankrupt Sale at the Victoria Bargain Clothing House continues to sway hundreds to supreme bargains. You will have to hurry if you want to get some of the good things here. The Star Clothing stock can't hold out much longer in the face of the terrific onslaught it has undergone in the past ten days.

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\$2.00 to \$2.50 PANTS. Now \$1.35

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MEN'S 75c SHIRTS. Now only 25c

25c WOOL OR FANCY SOX. Now 10c

\$1.50 WOOL UNDERWEAR. Now 65c

\$1.50 FANCY DRESS SHIRTS. Now 85c

50c UNDERWEAR, broken sizes. Now 25c

10c HANDKERCHIEFS. Now, 2 for 5c

50c PRESIDENT SUSPENDERS. Now 35c

MEN'S FINE SUITS, mostly tweeds and chevrons. Reg. prices \$13.50 to \$15. Sale price

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\$3.00 FANCY WOOL SWEATERS, now 95c

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MEN'S FINEST HATS, \$3 to \$4 values. Our price, each \$1.95

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\$1.50 and \$2.00 MEN'S SWEATERS. Sale price, each 65c

\$3.50 DRESS BOOTS, all sizes and styles. Price, now \$1.95

\$4.00 and \$5.00 BOOTS that are the peer of them all at the price. Our price, per pair \$2.65

MEN'S HIGH TOP BOOTS, worth to \$6.50. Now, per pair \$2.95

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\$1.50 and \$2.00 PANTS. Now 85c

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British Canadian Home Builders, Ltd., has its own building department, draws its own plans, builds its own houses, gets the profit from the insurance on every house it builds, and by paying cash for everything, gets the benefit of every discount known to the trade.

Everyone knows the profit there is in building houses for cash and selling on the instalment plan, and Victoria certainly offers a grand field, as there is a marked scarcity of houses.

Seldom is an opportunity offered the public of buying shares in a going concern at the same price as the insiders and promoters. British Canadian Home Builders is one of the exceptions in this respect, and the people of Victoria are certainly showing their appreciation of the chance afforded.

There Are No Promotion Shares

The directors and all connected with the company paid \$1 per share for their holdings; one director subscribed for 10,000 shares.

COMPANIES RUN ON SIMILAR LINES

Companies run on the lines to be pursued by the British Canadian Home Builders, Limited, have proved phenomenally successful, notably the Los Angeles Investment Company, Los Angeles, Cal., and "Home Builders," Los Angeles, Cal. The former, having accumulated assets of over \$6,300,000 in fourteen years and now paying 28 per cent dividends, and the latter, which started business three years ago with a capital of \$1,250, has assets to-day of \$1,089,000, surplus \$308,000 and is paying 17 per cent dividends with their \$1.00 share selling at \$2.30. Los Angeles has had a wonderful growth in the last ten years, but no better field exists for a Home Building Company than Victoria to-day.

Is It Safe?

One of the first questions asked regarding a new company is "Is it safe?" A company that pays cash for everything and contracts no heavy obligations without money in sight, cannot be anything but safe.

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Offered as a safe and at the same time remunerative investment for either the small or large investor, and may be purchased for cash or on the instalment plan, 10 per cent cash, and 5 per cent monthly. For example, \$10 cash and \$5 monthly purchases 100 shares.

Purchasers on the instalment plan will receive dividends on the amount paid in at time dividends are declared.

No well informed person aiming to be abreast of the times, will dispute the statement that Victoria and vicinity will have at least 125,000 people. This means an increase of 75,000 in population, or 18,750 families needing homes built.

British Canadian Home Builders, Ltd., will surely build its share of these.

Embrace this opportunity of investment in a perfectly safe and profitable enterprise, managed by well-known business men, operating in your own city, where you know that values are increasing daily.

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CONSERVATIVES

HOLD A SMOKER

Speeches and Songs at the A. O. U. W. Hall Last Night. Celebrate Victory

Conservatives gathered at the A. O. U. W. hall last night to attend the smoker given by the member-elect for Victoria in the Dominion parliament, G. H. Barnard. Leonard Tait, president of the Victoria Conservative Association, presided, and speeches were heard from Hon. Mr. McBride, Mr. Barnard, C. E. Radford, R. E. Green, William Blakenmore, H. B. Thomson, M.P.P., A. G. Sargison, J. L. Beckwith, Guy Walker and W. H. Price.

Mr. Barnard told the audience that for fifteen years the Conservatives have been out of power and that their return to power was a matter that should warrant a little celebration. Thereafter, he had called a smoker. The speaker referred to the campaign and thanked the workers of the party for their efforts and organization. Mr. Barnard believed that September 21st, 1911, would go down as one of the greatest days in the history of Canada.

He now told the battle was over there was not a man in the city who did not admit that the result was the best that could have happened. The member hoped to do a few things for Victoria and perhaps more than his former representative had done.

The Premier eulogized the Borden cabinet and the Borden victory. He referred to the cabinet announced as the strongest ever placed in power in Canada, and made mention of the fact that three portfolios had been given to the west. He was sure that in Martin Burrell, member-elect for Yale-Cariboo, the Prime Minister would have one of the most responsible and active heads that had ever graced the department of agriculture.

The other speakers made brief speeches suitable to the occasion and of the cock-crowing order. The utmost harmony prevailed and the songs and musical numbers were harmonious and entertaining in the extreme.

THE ADVANCE MAN

"Bright Eyes," the second act of "Bright Eyes," the new musical play by the authors of "Three Twine," is a novelty in that it shows both the lower and upper floors of a carriage house on the estate of a wealthy gentleman near New York City. In this scene the fun arises from the interest meeting of a young actor and a society woman at the same time there occurs in the same place an equally innocent meeting of the actor's wife and the husband of the society woman.

The situation is complicated by a clandestine meeting in the same place of a coachman and a ladies' maid. While one couple is in the left the other is below and the efforts of each to escape the other creates no end of amusement. The entire scene bubbles over with pure fun and it is handled without a suggestion of vulgarity.

In addition to an interesting story, logical and consistent, beautiful and catchy music has been written for it by Karl Hoschna, and Joe M. Galves. Its producer, has given it a scenic equipment that is very elaborate and has introduced a number of novel mechanical effects. A chorus of more than fifty is employed and the costuming is particularly gorgeous and effective. Every girl in the chorus could easily qualify for a beauty show and in addition everyone can sing and many of them are unusually good dancers.

The cast is headed by Cecil Lean and Florence Holbrook, two of the most popular fun makers on the stage to-day and is composed of an exceptionally clever company of well known players. "Bright Eyes" will be seen at the Victoria Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 16 and 17.

PAYING TAXES

Treasurer's Office: Bring Overdue to Convenience Ratepayers in Meeting Obligations.

In order to meet the demands of the taxpayers who may not yet have received their tax notices, or who to obtain information with regard to the payments before the end of the month, when the one-sixth rebate for prompt payment will expire, the city treasurer's office will be open in the evenings as well as the ordinary office hours, from Monday next to October 31. The amount paid in to the city treasury has not been so large as in the corresponding period of last year, subdivisions having increased the number of small owners, who are not able so readily to make their payments.

FRANCE NOT PLEASED

Paris, Oct. 12.—The accord with Germany relative to the positions of France and Germany in Morocco has not been met with any special manifestation of pleasure in France. Instead, attention turns to what France may have to pay in Congo territory that is actually French for a confirmation of her rights in Morocco.

The precise character of Germany's price has not been disclosed. The unrest in public opinion weakens the ministry at home and causes anxiety as to what the chamber may do when it re-convenes on Oct. 31, or Nov. 7.

COLORADO IN FLOOD

San Bernardino, Cal., Oct. 12.—Special dispatches received here from Needles last night say the Colorado river has risen to its highest point of the year and has cut its way through the big dike on the Arizona side.

Thousands of acres of reclaimed lands are flooded and the farmers are said to be abandoning their homes. The damage is heavy.

When the dike on the Arizona side broke, the pressure on the California was relieved and no fears are felt by settlers on this side.

B. C. GAZETTE

In this week's B. C. Gazette the following appointments are gazetted: Robert Pierce, Sheep Creek, deputy mining recorder for the Nelson mining division; F. C. Campbell, Clinton, judge of revision and appeal; J. A. B. McDonald, Moyle, deputy mining recorder for the Fort Steele mining division; Noel A. Wallinger, Cranbrook, deputy assessor and collector for the Fort Steele assessment district; Colin S. Campbell, superintendent of provincial police; H. O. Heimbecker, Coalmont, and Vernon A. Shaw, Vancouver, notaries public.

The following companies have been granted letters of incorporation: Arkansas-Vancouver Timber & Lumber Co. Ltd., B. C. Brass Ltd., Builders' Trust Corporation Ltd., Canada Power & Land Co. Ltd., Dominion Match Co. Ltd., Kolts & Taylor Co. Ltd., Maple Apartments Ltd., Nanaimo Harbor Land Co. Ltd., Northern Investment Co. Ltd., Pither & Leiser Ltd., R. Harris & Co. Ltd., Sunset Mfg. Co. Ltd., Ellice-Mines Ltd. (non-personal liability), Victoria Steam Laundry Co. Ltd., and Windsor Hotel Co. Ltd.

Extra-provincial companies registered or licensed are Canada Malleable & Steel Range Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Fanny Goods Company of Canada Ltd., Scottish Insurance Corporation Ltd., Tucke Bros. Ltd., and H. E. Gleason Co.

Falling compliance with the statutes before December 5 the following companies holding B. C. charters will be struck off the register: Ketchikan Gold & Copper Mining Co. (foreign), Iron Hope Mining & Milling Co. (foreign), British Columbia Electric Co. (foreign), Eldon Gold and Silver Mining Co. (foreign), English-Canadian Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Arlington Hotel Co. (foreign), United States & British Columbia Mining Co. (foreign), Kohns-Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Seattle Mining & Smelting Co. (foreign), Blue Bird Mining Co. (foreign), Cottonwood River, B. C., Alluvial Gold Mining Co. (foreign), British Development Association Ltd. (foreign), Spokane-Kaslo Mining & Milling Co. (foreign), Trilby Mining Corporation Ltd. (foreign), L. X. K. Gold Mining & Milling Co. (foreign), White Bear Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Bowen Island Mining Co. (foreign), Black Rock Gold Mining Co. (foreign), Quensell Mining & Leasing Co. (foreign), Pease Hardware Co. Ltd., Montreal, Red Mountain Goldfields Co. Ltd.

Milling Co. of British Columbia Ltd., Mary May Mining Co. Ltd., Western Exploration Co. Ltd., Superior Mining & Milling Co. Ltd., Kelley Creek Gold Mining & Milling Co. of British Columbia Ltd., Lookout Mountain Mining Co. Ltd., Waneta & Trail Creek Gold Mining Co. Ltd., and Randolph-Elmore Quartz Mining & Milling Co. of Fairview, B. C. Ltd.



To the Editor:—A great deal of dissatisfaction exists in this city on account of the action taken by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee hospital in consenting to allow the St. Joseph's hospital to share in the proceeds of the proposed tag day, which heretofore has been held solely in aid of the Jubilee hospital. It is being looked upon as an imposition on the public, and a demand to contribute to a charity institution and share the proceeds shared by an institution which is being operated for profit only, and is in no sense a public charity institution. The public hospital is supported by the city, provincial government, and by private subscriptions from auxiliary societies of the city. Its members and board of administrators are elected and appointed. Their method of government is an open book. The work done by the Jubilee is, in most instances, that of a charitable nature, the poor and indigent being cared for and paid for from the fund provided by the B. C. government, the city and voluntary contributions from the public, such as the proceeds from the annual tag day. On the other hand, the St. Joseph's hospital is a close corporation, not subject to the criticism of the public, its methods of government unknown, its books closed to the public, and it is not responsible to either city or provincial government, and is not in any sense of the word a public charity institution. Its officers are only responsible to the Roman Catholic church.

This agreement will without a doubt have the most damaging results to the Jubilee hospital, and is a matter of great concern to the many friends of that institution.

The Loyal Orange Association has taken the matter up and at last meeting of the Loyal Orange lodge No. 1619 of this city, a strong letter of protest against said arrangement was sent to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee hospital, and the members were unanimous in using all fair means in their power to have said arrangement nullified. In this they can without a doubt count on the united sup-

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port of most of the fraternal societies of the city.
JOHN C. SCOTT.

ALBERNI WORKMEN'S PROTEST

To the Editor:—I have the honor to submit for publication a protest from the workmen on the Port Alberni townsite with regard to the unlawful proceedings of the United States authorities in the arresting of the McNamara brothers.

The protest has been unanimously signed by the said workers to the number of 24, who have moreover emphasized their action by not going to work to-day. Let those who have made the laws obey them.
JOE COULSON.
Port Alberni, B. C., Oct. 11, 1911.

Copy

Upon this day, the date intended for the trial of the McNamara brothers in Los Angeles, Cal., we, the undersigned, desire to go on record and protest against the outrageous proceeding of the United States authorities with regard to their arrest, which, as it has been shown by the report of the commission appointed by Congress, was practically a case of kidnapping, and we emphasize our protest by not going out to work to-day. Here follows (that is on the original, which has been sent to the local press) the signatures of the thirty-four workers employed in this camp.
Copied by W. ADAM.

Atlantic liners sometimes burn as much as three hundred tons of coal per day.

MINERS ARE MEETING

Alberta Works Understood to Accept Award as to Wages.

Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 12.—Every local in district 18, United Mine Workers of America, is represented at the miners' convention here to-day to consider the strike situation. At adjournment at noon nothing definite had been decided on. It is stated that the men have partly decided to accept the Gordon award as to wages, and the only thing they are now holding out for is recognition of the check-off system, which in short means recognition of the union.

Whether they will stick out for this or not is not known, and the subject forms the main part of the discussion at the convention. President White, of the international union, is present, and it is believed will have a settlement made before he leaves for Indianapolis.

CONFESSES MURDER

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 12.—James Dykert to-day confessed to the murder of Amelia Rhodes and her cousin, Frank Rhodes, on the Bolton farm in Anoka county on Sept. 12th.

Great wealth is a great blessing to a man who knows what to do with it.—Beaconsfield.

SHOES AT HALF PRICE

SATURDAY is Half-Price Day at White's Great Going-Out-of-Business Sale

We want to sell 1,000 pairs of Shoes To-morrow, and to do so we have made the day a HALF-PRICE DAY

**MEN'S \$5.00
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\$2.25

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BOOTS AT**

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Ladies' Fine Dress Boots, patent vici kid, gunmetal leather, button and lace. Reg. \$5. Saturday \$2.50

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FARMERS UNITING IN SELF-PROTECTION

Revive Co-operative Buying
and Selling Plan on
Large Scale

A delegation of Pennsylvania farmers took a trip to New York recently to find out who got the difference between what the consumer paid and what the farmers got. When they discovered that they were getting only 46 out of every 100 cents the consumer paid for farm products, they cast about for some way to cut out the middlemen. In New York they struck upon an idea just originated by Roland Oufroy, an Americanized Frenchman. Farmers in other states may adopt it or find other means of getting into closer contact with the consumer.

Ten thousand heads of families, 500 retailers and several hundred Pennsylvania farmers have already joined in the movement.

The New York idea is an incorporated association, to which the farmers ship their products and from which accredited retailers buy their supplies. These in turn, sell to the consumer member and give him cash rebate cheques which amount to a considerable percentage.

Each farmer member buys at least one \$25 share of stock in the association, thus securing voting rights and representation on the board.

The association is leasing a huge warehouse in New York, to which farmer members ship their products in carload lots. Farmer Jones' eggs, Farmer Hicks' butter, and Farmer Smith's poultry all go into a car on a certain day. Under the present system of middlemen, Jones' eggs would go to a local buyer, who gets his fat of money when he sells them to a commission man, who then sells them to a cold storage man, waiting for high prices; the cold storage man gets his "bit" for space rental, and then the eggs go to the grocer. It is about the same with butter and poultry.

Under the new system the grocer, who belongs to the association, buys what he wishes for the day and pays cash. That same day the association sends cheques to Farmer Jones, Smith and Hicks. They receive approximately what the commission men were getting in the open market, but for similar goods—perhaps a little less, but much more than the producers ever received before.

The grocer has bought fresh, little-known goods. He is a reliable grocer. If he is not, any consumer can make a complaint and this particular grocer will lose the right to display the association sign in his windows. Even apparent overcharges will be investigated.

The goods will bear the label of Farmer Smith or Farmer Jones, as well as the label of the association. If Farmer Jones offers inferior eggs, the grocer who receives complaints has only to make a complaint against Farmer Jones, and out goes Farmer Jones and his bad eggs.

The merchants will pay \$1 a month for membership and 8 per cent. of their earnings from association customers. Two-thirds of this amount will be returned to customers. One-half of the remainder will be used by the association for newspaper advertising, and the rest goes to the association for itself.

The consumer pays a \$2 membership fee. Then his family buys from the retailer-member in the usual way, at the regular retail price. With each purchase the grocer gives a rebate coupon. The rebate on eggs will be at

one rate, on butter at another, on kerosene oil at another. But each coupon is worth cold cash. When the purchaser has \$25 worth she cashes them.

This is similar to the system in the English co-operative stores.

Genuine, labelled, fresh goods, straight from the farm, with a rebate in hard cash, is the line which the consumers—farmers' first must always hold out to consumers.

E. B. Dorsett, lecturer of the Pennsylvania Grange, believes that the new plan will reduce the cost of groceries about 25 per cent.

The backbone of the plan is the consumer. All he has to do, if he becomes dissatisfied, is to deal across the street with the grocer that doesn't belong. His butter, eggs, vegetables, all his groceries—must be given him at a lower price in an association store than in any other store in the city. The very moment that the new consumers—farmers' trust doesn't reduce the cost of living, it falls to pieces. That will make the farmer content with a fair reward for his products.

NATIONAL RESOURCES.

San Francisco, Oct. 13.—Opposing viewpoints as to federal leasing of coal lands in Alaska, occupied yesterday the attention of delegates to the American Institute of Mining Engineers. H. Foster Bain, editor of the Mining and Scientific Press, was the first speaker, and not only declared for leasing, but suggested that the government begin operating a mine itself.

He said the contest over the distribution of national resources was a very old one, having first arisen in Germany years ago. It was settled there, and monopoly controlled, he said, when the government became a part of the monopoly.

Rossiter W. Raymond of New York, replied to Bain's address, standing solidly for private exploitation of national resources.

"I believe in as little government as possible," he declared.

Referring to the amendments to the constitution of California adopted on Tuesday, he styled them "impossible cures for imaginary evils." Raymond said that people had forgotten that it was by the giving away of national resources that the building up of the west had been made possible.

CARDINAL'S JUBILEE.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 13.—Roman Catholic prelates, priests and laymen of national prominence will gather in Baltimore on Sunday to attend the elaborate religious celebration of the dual jubilee of Cardinal Gibbons, marking the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood and the twenty-fifth year of his cardinalate.

Mgr. Falconio, the papal delegate, will represent the Pope and bestow the pontifical blessing.

Canada will be represented by Archbishop Bruchesi, while the Archbishop of Mexico will come as the representative of the Latin-American nations.

Many of the visiting churchmen will remain to participate in the convention of the holy societies of the United States, Canada and Mexico, which will be held on Monday and Tuesday.

The celebration will begin at 10.30 a. m. Sunday with a pontifical high mass at the cathedral, at which the cardinal will be the celebrant and Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis will preach the sermon.

After the mass the visiting dignitaries will proceed to St. Mary's seminary, where a dinner in the cardinal's honor will be served.

The day's ceremonies will conclude with solemn vespers service in the cathedral.

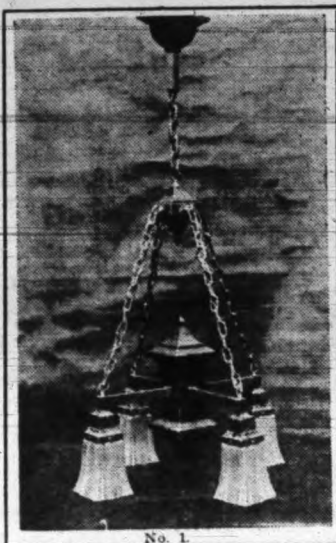
The custom of shaking hands dates back to the time of Henry the Second.

Four Special Bargains in Electroliers

During the alterations which have recently been made to our store front we were unfortunately prevented from making adequate window displays of the numerous electrical goods which we carry, and we realize that while the workmen were busy our premises did not create a very inviting appearance. We not only take this opportunity of apologising for any inconvenience that the public may have suffered, but we take pleasure in making an offering of four special bargains, which will, we trust appeal to you.

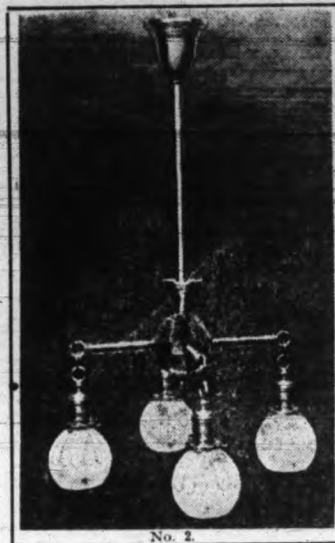
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Very handsome Four-light Electrolier of the square mission type with chain supports. The shades are square shape and of satin finish. Exactly as illustrated and specially priced **\$19.50** at



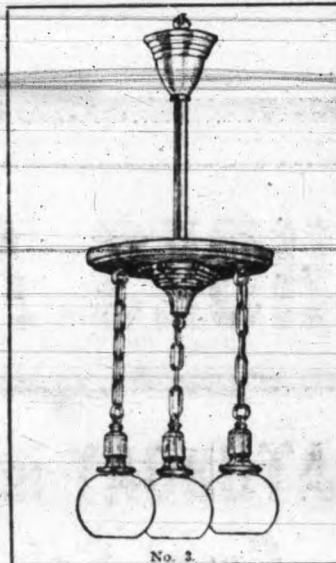
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A Four-light Brush Brass Electrolier with star cut globes. Exactly as illustrated and specially priced at **\$9.90**



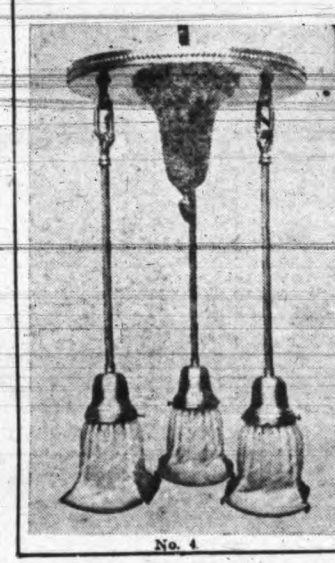
No. 3 Bargain

Three-light Shower Pendant with three crystal R. I. globes. This, too, is of the popular brush brass finish. Exactly as illustrated and specially priced at **\$8.00**



No. 4 Bargain

Three Pendant Electrolier of Brush Brass with Sheffield centre and fancy glass shades edged in either pink, green or blue. Exactly as illustrated and specially priced at **\$9.75**



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MEN'S PATENT COLT HAND MADE SHOES, guaranteed solid all through, with Goodyear soles. Regular \$5.50. Saturday, **\$3.95** pair

BOYS' OLD COUNTRY BOOTS, with iron heel plates, extra strong. Will last the boy a whole year. Sizes 1 to 5. Special price for Saturday, **\$2.25** per pair

LADIES' BOX CALF SHOES for big girls. Sizes 2½ to 6. Special price **\$1.95**
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WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS **.35c**
MEN'S STRONG CARPET SLIPPERS **.75c**

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MEN'S HEAVY CHROME CALF WALKING SHOES double soles through to heel, absolutely solid and waterproof. Their equal cannot be had anywhere for \$6. Saturday special price, **\$4.50** pair

BOYS' BOX CALF BOOTS, sizes 8 to 10. Old country make. Regular \$1.50. Special price, **\$1.00** per pair



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ESTIMATE OF LATE PREMIER STOLYPIN

Man Who Attempted Seemingly Impossible Feat in Russian Politics

Stolypin has been described by one of his critics as "attempting the impossible feat of reconciling absolutism and constitutionalism." Perhaps a truer description of his aim and work would be that he tried to guide his country by a path of easy gradients from the extreme of despotism to popular institutions.

He was in fact an odd combination of ultra-loyalist and liberal. When he raised his hand and blessed the Czar with the sign of the cross the instant after receiving his death wound he displayed the temperamental side of his nature. Born of old Muscovite stock in a moderate position in life he was a devout adherent of the Orthodox Church, and that sort of orthodox carries with it a sort of rapt devotion to the imperial throne.

But Stolypin was also a man of remarkable enlightenment and clearness of intellect; he saw the inevitable drift of the age toward the rule of the people and the overthrow of arbitrary government. When he came into power he made his policy the guidance of this inevitable tendency. Thus it came to pass that he had the people for his enemies because he retarded the development of the parliamentary system for Russia and put down popular violence and disorder with ruthless severity. At the same time the reactionary element in the empire were his deadly foes because it was plain that under his leadership the parliamentary system would gain a position in the government from which it could never be thrown down and that the people of Russia were commencing a real practical education for self-government.

Stolypin first came into prominence as the governor of Saratoff, a post which he held through the early years of the century. It was there in 1905 that the first attempt was made to kill him. Three shots were fired at him by a terrorist assassin, but he was not hit. Speaking later of his own service in this post he told how it had been his aim to cultivate a class of peasant land owners and to give them real weight in the local government of their communes. He was reproached for establishing a new university in that province. He replied that it was only by introducing the higher education into the provinces that the work of developing law and order could be successfully advanced in Russia.

In May, 1906, the Czar called him to St. Petersburg and made him minister of the interior.

Measured by character and achievements, Stolypin without question towered head and shoulders above the

common level of the Russian bureaucracy. He was a forceful personality in an environment where forcefulness is usually accompanied by the policeman's outlook and temper; such a type was the late Gen. Trepoff, the hero of "Red Sunday." Stolypin added to strength of will and an autocratic view of government, a knowledge of the business of statecraft such as no other minister during the reign of Nicholas II. has displayed, with the exception of Sergius Witte.

COURTESY TO MEXICO.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 13.—While on the platform at the state capital here to-day, President Taft telegraphed the state department at Washington, directing the department to grant permission to the Mexican government to transport troops through American territory from Juarez to a point near Nogales in Arizona.

SHOT HIS TORMENTOR.

The Dalles, Ore., Oct. 13.—Fred Eveland, aged 24 years, to-day shot and killed David Mannasaus, aged 42 years, and then surrendered himself to the police. Eveland claims that Mannasaus, who was a giant, had made Eveland and his wife the victims of a long period of abuse. To-day, according to Eveland, Mannasaus called Mrs. Eveland vile names. Eveland, who is of small stature, could not cope physically with Mannasaus and shot him dead. Mannasaus' son fired two shots from a rifle at the slayer of his father when his gun became plugged. Neither of the two shots struck Eveland.

PEACE BEING RESTORED.

Mexico City, Oct. 13.—There are some indications of a restoration of peace in the state of Chiapas, due largely to the efforts of General Paz, commander of the federal troops at Tuxtla, Gutierrez. A peace conference began to-day near Chicapa. State troops captured Concordia yesterday. General Ambrosio Figueroa, now governor of Morales, will leave to resume direction against Zapatistas who are overrunning the region again.

POSTPONED FLIGHT.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 13.—C. P. Rodgers, the aviator, to-day postponed his flight to the coast until to-morrow, not wishing to start on Friday, the 13th.

Japan has now forty-five gas companies, an increase of thirty-eight in four years.

BATTLE RUMORS FROM TRIPOLI

Unconfirmed Dispatch to German Newspaper Tells of Fight With Much Loss

Frankfort-on-the-Main, Oct. 13.—The Frankfurter Zeitung forwards a dispatch dated Tripoli, saying:

"A fierce engagement occurred between the Turkish troops and Italians on a hill in the neighborhood of the city. The Italians lost 1,600 killed and wounded. The Turks' casualties were slight."

There is no confirmation of the dispatch.

AEROPLANES TO BE TRIED.

Rome, Oct. 13.—(via frontier).—Four aeroplanes have arrived here from France. They will be sent to Tripoli, where it is proposed to make experiments in the use of flying machines in actual warfare. They will be piloted by Italian officers, who will undertake to drop bombs into the enemy's encampment.

PROBING AN OLD MURDER.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 13.—Richard Holmberg, the man who was named yesterday at The Dalles, by Harry Howard, aged 17, and James Hawkins, aged 16, as the alleged murderer of the four members of the Hill family in Portland on June 9, was brought to this city to-day, as were also the youths who accuse him of the crime, the most atrocious ever committed in the Pacific Northwest.

Holmberg vehemently denies any knowledge of the Hill murder and declares that a visit to Portland ten days ago was the first he made to this city in twenty-three years. He is alleged to have admitted certain features of the murder of the Hill family, but so far his examination by the detectives and police who have been working on the Hill case for months has not shaken him. He is greatly confused in his story of his wanderings, but as he is not a man of even ordinary intelligence, the detectives are not willing at this time to hold this feature of the examination against him.

On the other hand the boys tell a remarkably consistent story of their experience with Holmberg and give details, dates, places and incidents without hesitation. They were examined separately by the detectives and newspapermen and their stories vary little if any, with the sworn statement they made at the Dalles yesterday. They will be examined again this afternoon.

PLAYWRIGHT DEAD.

Winnemucca, Nev., Oct. 13.—Philip Ver-rill Mighels, the well known author and playwright, died here last night as the

result of an accidental gunshot wound self-inflicted. The accident occurred last Friday while Mighels was hunting near Golconda. He was brought to a hospital here, and for a time it was thought he would recover. Late yesterday, however, he grew worse and death followed several hours later.

Mighels was 42 years old. He was the author of numerous short stories and a number of poems and plays.

SUICIDE IDENTIFIED.

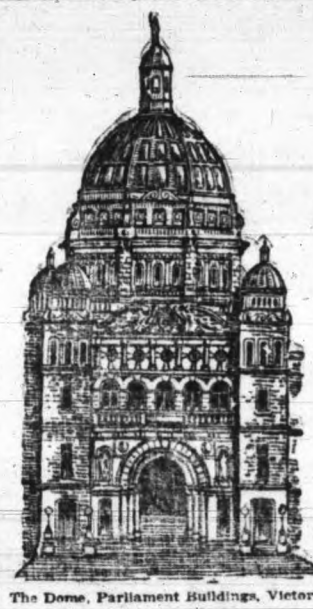
Seattle, Wash., Oct. 13.—This afternoon the identity of the man who shot and killed himself at First Ave., South, and Jackson street, was found to be Samuel Barker. He came here from Denver on Sept. 23, later he telegraphed to Denver asking for money, but the money was not sent, and it is supposed he was despondent over lack of funds.

ANTIQUARIAN FIND.

A very curious discovery, which throws some interesting sidelights on the life of sixteenth-century Europe, was made some years ago when the contents of the old post office at Frankfort-on-Main were transferred to the new premises. A complete mail-bag, full of letters and apparently officially sealed, was discovered hidden among the rafters of the old post office, where it had lain forgotten for over three hundred years. The bag, says an article in Chambers' Journal for September, was at first deposited intact among the state archives; but it has recently been handed over to the Imperial Postal Museum, where the curator, Dr. Sautter, has been occupied in examining its contents. A glance at the commercial letters shows what a small change three hundred years have wrought in the forms of business. The cheques enclosed in some of the letters, with those we handle to-day, are almost identical in size and wording. The letters are usually headed with the words, "Al nonc de Dio," and conclude with "A Dio"—a formal pithy which does not, however, prevent the writer from complaining about goods not coming up to sample submitted with a frank rudeness that a modern trader even in Manchester goods could not desire to surpass. Information about the crops, political affairs, and the state of markets occurs frequently; and the fairs at Placenza, Lyons, Besancon and Frankfurt are referred to as important events in the business world.

The chamber of commerce of Rochester, New York, is circulating booklets to show the community the loss through preventable fires and the need of individual fire protection. The install, dates, places and incidents without hesitation. They were examined separately by the detectives and newspapermen and their stories vary little if any, with the sworn statement they made at the Dalles yesterday. They will be examined again this afternoon.

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INSIDE HISTORY OF TURKISH EMPIRE

Sir Edwin Pears Gives Glimpses
of Conflict With Modern
Civilization

Of the Englishmen who have devoted themselves to the task of making the great fact of the Turkish Empire understood in Europe, while at the same time bringing to bear on Turkey the influence of western ideas and the example of western lives, none has a more distinguished record than Sir Edwin Pears, writes Bartram Christian in an English exchange. It is a long record, too. It was his letters to the Daily News on the Moslem atrocities of 1876 in Bulgaria which, in the words of Mr. Gladstone, "first sounded the alarm in Europe," and in the famous pamphlet which that statesman subsequently published he referred to the terms of eloquent praise to the gentleman who has fought his battle for a battle it has been with such courage, intelligence, and conscientious care. For a third of a century the same qualities of zeal, discretion, and impartiality have been displayed by Sir Edwin, and it is not surprising that the book which he has now written on "Turkey and its People" should display a most intimate knowledge of the domestic and political life of the country, accompanied by the cautious, though not indefinite, expression of his personal conclusions.

When Sir Edwin Pears first took up his post the influence of Europe upon internal Turkish administration had hardly begun to make itself felt, excepting so far as Russia, since the Crimean war, had exercised formal rights as protector of the Christians. After the Bulgarian massacres Lord Salisbury made a most fruitful visit to Constantinople, at the close of which he expressed his intention of reforming the consular system in Turkey. This plan he carried out with complete success in providing Great Britain with a staff of local representatives, who are at once energetic and judicious. Sir Edwin Pears pays the Levant service a warm tribute, which will be confirmed by all who have had occasion, especially in relation to Albania and Macedonia, to deal at first hand with the reports made to the government or with their authors. It is to their work that is due the conception of Great Britain held among great masses of the Porte's Christian subjects, and even among some of the Moslems themselves, as a far-off country that is at once interested and disinterested in their well-being.

Other writers have rendered familiar, so far as eastern habits permit, the daily life of the Turkish home. The special value of Sir Edwin's account is that he can trace the tendency of social progress from prolonged personal observation. In no respect has the change been greater than in the position of women. Within the limits which under Moslem law cannot be transgressed, and which remains fatal to family life as we understand it, there has been a very great advance. Abdul Hamid was always on the alert to see that the sons of his subjects were not taught too much. He was less particular about their daughters, and though he intervened on the practice of engaging foreign governesses, he could not suppress it, or resist such a measure of education as at least secured ability to read and interest in affairs outside the harem. The result was shown in the revolution of 1908, when the intractability of the harem, which was spy-proof even to the Sultan, provided its organisers with an invaluable channel for communicating with each other.

For Europe the interest of the Turkish Empire lies less in the governing race than in its Christian subjects, and the chapters devoted by Sir Edwin to Macedonia and Albania are of great importance and authority. The difficulty of obtaining trustworthy statistics remains insuperable, but the author, in common with every other impartial inquirer, is convinced of the preponderance of the Bulgarians; and he shares the high opinion which other

travellers have formed of their undemonstrative but sterling character. Europe has unfortunately heard only too much of the quarrels between Greeks and Bulgarians, in which the Vlachs have more recently taken a hand, and of the intestine rivalry of the churches, vividly and clearly described here, which was systematically fomented by the late Sultan. But it is probably only by the Bulgarians, on both sides of the Macedonian frontier, that a really serious menace has been directed against Turkish rule. The Hamidian method of suppressing it in 1902 was to let cold and starvation do what the sword had done earlier in Armenia, a fell purpose which it is satisfactory to recall was largely defeated by charity subscribed from British sources and administered by British hands.

Among the Albanians, of whom Sir Edwin's description is of special interest at the moment, discussion is never less conspicuous. Their religious differences have long, perhaps owing to the influence among them of the philosophical Bektashi sect, their bitterness and the history of the recent insurrection has shown that their tribal feuds do not seriously interfere with community of action, especially since the Young Turkish government, by its attack upon the Albanian language, has foolishly concentrated against itself unsuspected elements of cohesion.

On the future of Turkey Sir Edwin Pears' opinions are happily marked by the caution of maturity. Three years ago, when the Young Turks had made their revolution effective, a bland and startling optimism seemed to possess many foreign observers. That has passed, and on their failure to grapple with difficulties which might well have perplexed a government of the amplest experience and resources it has been succeeded by a wave of no less blind pessimism. With neither of these judgments, if judgments they can be called, is Sir Edwin in sympathy. He wisely prefers to consider soberly the nature of the influences which have been at work in the Turkish Empire for nearly two generations, and to estimate, with a refreshing coolness of outlook, what has been their effect within his own knowledge, as the basis of his speculations on the ultimate result. In this way he passes under review such facts as the disappearance, if not of slavery, at any rate of the open sale and purchase of slaves; of the very gradual emancipation of women; of the mellowing of the fanatical elements in Islam, to which he devotes a chapter full of interest; of the progress of modern educational efforts in Turkey itself, and of the widespread reflex effect of the advances made by nations formerly under the rule of the Sultan, and now only just beyond his immediate frontier; of the attempts at internal reform imposed by the action of the Powers; and, finally, of the revolution itself.

It may be that with full play for the most progressive instincts Turkey will still fail to take her place among the nations, and move rather towards a fugitive disruption. That is a question to which a thousand national and international factors, of which no writer can fully take account, contribute. But to frame the hasty conclusion that she is incapable of advancing in civilization, is at least as gratuitous as it was to suppose in the first flush of the revolution that she had miraculously become fit to rank not only above the Balkan nations, which have been laboriously heaving out of their way to a self-respecting independence during the last century, but with the states of western Europe. Such precipitancy is best corrected, as Sir Edwin Pears contends, by the historical method—a method of which his book is a notable example, and which makes it a serious and enduring contribution to the record of the nations.

CIVIL SERVICE PAY.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—To provide for the situation created by the Conservative opposition, when it forced the government to appeal to the country on the reciprocity pact before any supply had been granted, Premier Borden to-day advised his excellency to issue government warrants for an amount sufficient to meet the necessary cost of civil government. This will mean that public servants who have not received any salaries for two months will next week be able to pay their butcher and their baker.

Cinnamon is a species of laurel that thrives in Ceylon.

INDIANS FAVOR POLYGAMY.

Adventist Missionary Murdered by
—Infuriated Brazilian Natives.

Dr. Henry E. Crampton, of Columbia University, New York, who has been exploring the region about the head waters of the Amazon, arrived from Georgetown, Prof. Crampton gave details of the murder of Elder O. E. Davis, the Seventh Day Adventist missionary, who was killed by natives in Northern Brazil.

It was Prof. Crampton who discovered the murder and who notified the authorities of Georgetown. Dr. Crampton was on his way to Mount Roraima, and stopped at a village, a mere collection of Indian huts, called Karama-wong, in Brazil. The chief of the village and a power among the Arecuna Indians, came to meet the explorer and, as Prof. Crampton learned later, warned the Indians in Crampton's party not to say anything to the white man about the death of the missionary.

Crampton happened to want to use a room as a dark room in developing some of his films and started to go into the chief's hut. Several natives barred his way, and then Chief Jeremiah himself came around and tried to draw the scientist's attention away from the hut. While Dr. Crampton was in Karama-wong, Jeremiah showed him every corner, but although he did not enter that one hut—although he was welcome to enter any other in the village.

It was not until the explorer was on his way back to Georgetown that the natives of his train, themselves British Guiana Indians, chanced to drop a word in Dr. Crampton's hearing about the clothing of a white man which they had seen in Jeremiah's hut. The clothing had belonged to a white man, they heard, a missionary, who had come to the village and had taught the people that plural marriages were wrong and that they must stop, and that all the bucks who had more than one wife must discard all but the first.

The women were very angry and so were the bucks. Then someone shot the missionary with a poisoned arrow and as he lay on the ground someone cut his throat and ran away. A while after other Indians, so the informers had heard, came along and found the white man lying on the ground some distance from the village. They got a hammock and dragged him to the village and took him into Jeremiah's hut, where he died. Then they buried him under the earthen floor of the chief's hut and the chief kept his clothing.

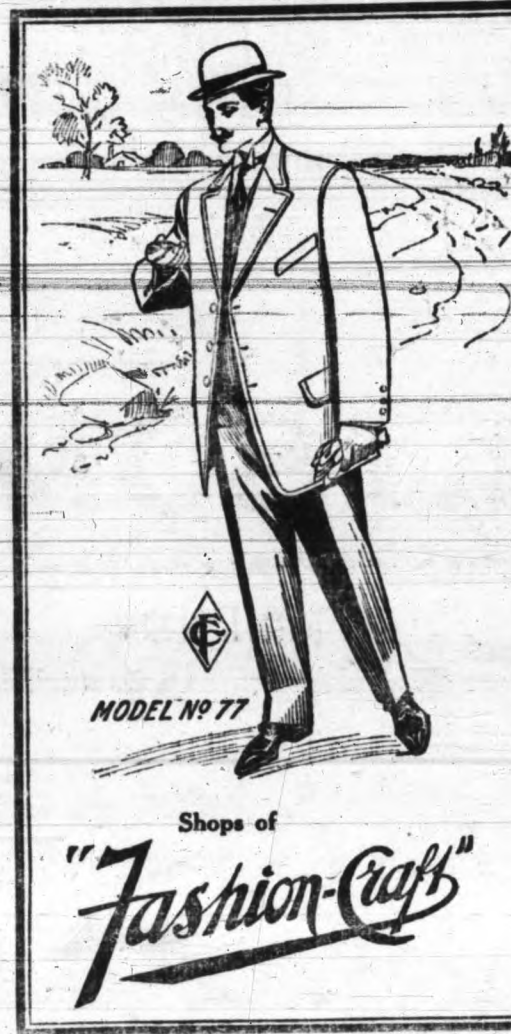
Before he died, the natives heard, the missionary wrote on two pieces of paper. One of these was still in the chief's hut. The other, it was reported, had found its way to Elder Beger, of Georgetown. The letter only said that the missionary had been poisoned and was dying. It is supposed that the other letter written by the dying man was to his wife, who was in Georgetown waiting for his return from the jungle. It is believed this letter is still in Jeremiah's possession.

The Indians who told were not sure whether a woman or a man had done the killing, or whether more than one had been implicated. They had heard that the white man was killed by native women who either had been cast off as wives by their husbands because of the missionary's teaching, or who were afraid that they would be his cast off. They also had heard that the murderer was one of the bucks, who presented the missionary's intrusion into his family affairs. Whoever had done the killing had used an arrow poisoned with curare, a very deadly poison.

Davis was a westerner, about 45 years old. He had been twice married, his second wife being much his junior. He married only recently. Before going to South America five years ago he had been a missionary in Alaska and British Columbia.

WESTERN STEEL CORPORATION.

Seattle, Oct. 12.—A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court yesterday against the Western Steel Corporation. The principal creditor is the Metropolitan Trust Company of New York, which holds notes against the Western Steel Corporation amounting to \$400,000.



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CURBING A TRUST.

Washington, Oct. 12.—By the sweeping decree entered in the United States circuit court at Toledo yesterday, the backbone of the so-called electrical trust was broken and in the judgment of Attorney-General Wickersham the government was equipped with precedents of genuine value in its prosecution of commercial combinations forbidden by the Sherman law.

Meeting the government's charges that the trust controlled the electric lamp business of the country, regulating by agreement prices at which all lamps were sold, the decree severs all relationship between the General Electric Company and the National Lamp Company. The latter concern and all its subsidiaries are ordered dissolved.

WORKING FAITHFULLY.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 12.—While thousands of dollars are being subscribed for the defence of her brother, John and James McNamara, Mary McNamara, the only member of the family now in this city, toils long hours each day to make enough to provide for her modest wants and to meet the payments on the humble McNamara home on the North Side.

ASKS AMERICAN HELP.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 12.—Advices from Chihuahua last night declared that the Mexican government has asked the United States for permission to send several hundred troops, under General Pascual Orozco through American territory to reach the state of Sinaloa. The expedition is intended to suppress reported outlaws in Sinaloa.

COMMERCIAL CONVENTION.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 12.—Business men from all parts of the country are here to attend the convention of the American Association of Commercial Executives. The speakers include C. B. Vandell of Seattle.

MARVELLOUS ESCAPES.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 12.—Falling from his toppling scaffold at the seventh story of the Tacoma building, James Naismith crashed through a roofing on the first floor entrance, composed of two-inch planking, and landed in the basement. He was not seriously injured, except for a broken shoulder bone.

Naismith was picked up unconscious and taken to the Fannie Paddock hospital, where it is expected a speedy recovery will follow.

Several months ago a workman fell 10 floors while working on the Tacoma building. Scaffolding broke his fall and he got up smiling. The nervous shock of the fall proved to be the most serious result, but he recovered completely.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 12.—Diving headlong with a three and a half ton auto delivery truck from a trestle to the ground 40 feet below and escaping unhurt was the experience of J. P. Erdman, driver for the Sound Transfer Company here. Erdman had the machine on Sixth avenue south bridge when he lost control. The truck was badly damaged, but the driver escaped without as much as a bruise.

ALUTIAN VOLCANO ACTIVE.

Seward, Alaska, Oct. 12.—There have been three distinct eruptions of Bogoslof, the celebrated Alutian volcano, this season.

Deputy United States Marshal Hastings of Unalaska, who arrived here to-day, passed Bogoslof on Sept. 10. Bogoslof Island had completely changed its physical appearance. There was no longer a boiling lake in the centre. In its place was a bay of cold water, the surface of the island having been blown off.

Marshal Hastings brought as a prisoner Fee Fekloroff, an Alutian boy aged 16, charged with the murder of Ocol Navarof, a white man, on Atka Island on February 9. Fekloroff and Navarof had been attending a drinking and card party. They started home together and on the way the boy killed his companion with an axe.

PORTUGUESE EMIGRANTS.

Honolulu, Oct. 12.—A message was received here to-day to the effect that the steamer Willesden has sailed from Portugal to this port with 1,500 immigrants on board to work on the sugar plantations.

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at the Northern Port

Vancouver, Oct. 12.—Dr. Bryce, chief officer of the immigration branch of the interior department and the department of Indian affairs, Ottawa, has returned from an official trip to Prince Rupert. His principal mission to the coast was in connection with the transfer of Chinese immigration from the department of trade and commerce to the interior department. No modifications or changes in the medical examination is contemplated.

At Prince Rupert Dr. Bryce examined several places in connection with the selection of a site for a proposed immigration building and detention hospital. He expressed the opinion that with the establishment of a trans-Pacific steamship service between Prince Rupert and the Orient many immigrants will seek to enter the Dominion at the northern port, hence the desire of the government to provide proper facilities. In this connection the detention hospital will also be used for the treatment of immigrants from American ports.

The visitor is an enthusiast about the future of the G. T. P. terminus. The weather there during the past summer was exceptionally good, rain only resulting in a suspension of street grading operations for less than a fortnight. The town is being solidly built and the street improvements under way are very extensive.

A trip inland as far as Hazelton two years ago convinced him that Prince Rupert, in addition to its future as a fishing centre, has a rich asset in the fertility of the country along the line of the G. T. P. He was glad to see that the Canadian fish and cold-storage company was a pioneer in establishing a plant, none existing in the fishing centres in the maritime provinces. The plant thus far has cost over \$200,000 and will be completed next spring when trawlers will begin operations in Hecate Straits.

Dr. Bryce left here last night for Ottawa, stopping off at Kamloops to examine the Tranquille sanitarium.

WHITE PLAGUE FIGHT
Spread of Disease in Quebec is Very Great

Montreal, Oct. 12.—Statistics indicate the spread of "white plague" in the province are contained in returns by the commission on tuberculosis which has just been published. The report includes the following features:

That the death rate in rural districts in Quebec nearly equals that of cities.
That Quebec is losing \$2,000,000 annually as a result of tuberculosis.
The measure against tuberculosis include an educational campaign showing people that tuberculosis is infectious and is avoidable, compulsory disinfection of dwellings, enforcement of by-laws forbidding expectoration in public places, the creation of anti-tuberculosis dispensaries and isolation of open cases of tuberculosis.

GROWS HAIR ON BALD HEADS
Bald-Headed People May Get a New Chance in Life

In these days when youth is the moving factor in business, when a man makes his mark at thirty-five and is ready to retire at forty-five, when business houses pension the man we call "middle aged" rather than allow his lagging influence to intrude upon the commercial rush, a bald head is almost fatal to any man's hopes. The following must therefore prove interesting to people who are losing their hair or who are bald.

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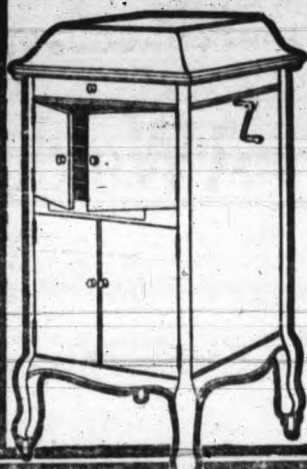
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COMMISSION TO BE INTERNATIONAL ONE

Body of One Hundred Will Advise
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Toronto, Oct. 12.—The Methodist international advisory commission was established by action of the Methodist Ecumenical conference yesterday. With a membership of one hundred of the present delegates to be appointed later, it will act during the decennial interims between meetings of the conference.

While its function will be chiefly advisory in such church and denominational matters as may come within its scope, it will also attempt to use the influence of the 30,000,000 Methodists whom it represents in the forwarding of certain world movements for peace and justice.

An address relative to the present status and opportunities of Methodism was adopted by the conference, and upon suggestion of the business committee, which presented it, it was resolved to send to every one of the 100,000 of more Methodist congregations throughout the world. Extended greetings from the conference, it enumerates the growing moral and material resources of Methodism and urges combination so far as possible of spiritual and social effort.

MADERO'S THANKS.

Mexico City, Oct. 12.—President-elect Madero issued a statement yesterday in which he said:

"I accept without question and will work harmoniously with the man whom the people choose as vice-president, despite my desire for the election of Pinedo Suarez."

Madero denied that he had forced Suarez on the people, saying he had merely recommended him. If all three candidates failed of an absolute majority on Sunday, he said he would suggest the largest number of votes in the electoral college.

CONSOLIDATED'S ANNUAL.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 12.—The sixth annual report of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada for the twelve months ended June 30 last shows net profits of \$204,278 which added to the balance of credit of profit and loss from the previous year makes a total of \$873,289. Dealing with the purchase of the Le-Roi the president's report briefly says: "Since June 30 your directors have purchased from the liquidator all the property of the Le-Roi Mining Com-

pany in Rossland, and have every reason to believe that the purchase will be profitable to the company."

WEAPONS OF MOBOCRACY.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Oct. 12.—Initiative and referendum and recall were termed the weapons of "mobocracy" by Archbishop Ireland, in an address here at the banquet of the "Army of the Tennessee," Archbishop Ireland said:

"The clamor is heard that the American Democracy, such as the Republic has known for a century and a quarter, must be torn asunder under the pretense that with it the people do not govern with sufficient directness. Democracy—yes; mobocracy—never."

"And towards mobocracy we are hidden to wend our way. The shibboleth of the clamor include, as you know, initiative, referendum and recall and are nothing more or less than the madness of Democracy."

TOLLS ON THE PANAMA.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12.—President Taft's prediction of an early opening of the Panama Canal promises to plunge the state department into important negotiations with the great maritime Powers respecting tolls. Until recently European nations took it for granted that there would be no attempt to discriminate against nationalities in the matter of tolls, basing their belief on the Hay-Pauncefote

treaty which almost in terms made such a declaration.

But the introduction in congress the last session by the Republican leaders of bills which either directly proposed to relieve American shipping of any tax, or through a transport system of rebates looked to accomplish the same end, has greatly alarmed foreign shipping interests. They fear they would find it impossible to use the waterway if required to pay heavy tolls while American ships were untaxed, and it is expected they will make energetic protests against such discrimination.

STORM IN MEXICO.

Mexico City, Oct. 12.—Reports received by the department of the interior indicate that there was a big property loss but few fatalities as a result of the storm that swept the coast of the state of Sonora last Thursday. The telegraph wires were not restored until last night when the government received its first word of the disaster.

According to officials, the village of San Jose de Guaymas was practically destroyed. The railway stations at Empalme and Ortle were torn down.

The lowest part of Guaymas, the port city, was inundated by the sea to a depth of two feet. No lives were lost there.

A few lighters in the harbor were driven ashore. One man was killed at Empalme.

Communication with San Jose de Guaymas has not yet been restored.

NOTICE

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria I intend to apply for a transfer of the liquor licence held by me for the Victoria Hotel, 1104 Government street, Victoria, B. C., to William H. Redman, of Victoria, B. C.
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Heaviest Guns Ever Fired Failed to Disturb Orion's Equilibrium

The new battleship Orion on September 26, completed a series of trials that prove her to be a credit to the skill of our naval constructors. As is generally known, the Orion is the first man-o-war to be armed with the 12.5-inch gun.

This weapon is so much more powerful than the 12-inch that some trepidation was felt as to the effect of its recoil upon the hull of the ship. The result, however, showed the fears to be groundless. First, four rounds with full charges of 293 lbs. were fired from each of the big guns.

Inside the barbettes the guns' crew experienced no discomfort, and the effect of the recoil was barely noticeable. Then the guns were trained on an extreme bearing and three rounds fired from each.

Harshly a tremor was felt in the structure of the ship, but the force of the concussion now played havoc with windows and wooden doors.

Next, the supreme test was applied. All ten of the Orion's huge guns were trained on the broadside and fired simultaneously.

There was an ear-splitting shriek of missiles as the ten monstrous projectiles, each weighing 1,250 lbs., tore through the air with tremendous velocity.

By this discharge the hull of the Orion was subjected to the greatest strain ever thrown upon the hull of any warship. The huge vessel staggered a little under the shock and heeled over slightly, but a careful examination made immediately afterwards revealed that the structure of the ship had not suffered in the slightest; not a single rivet had started in her plating.

So well did her new fire control instruments work that the whole ten projectiles fell within a very close radius of each other, and would in action have struck a blow that no ship could have withstood.

The pair of guns mounted in a raised barrette, so that they can fire over the after pair of 12.5's, were then fired, and it was then that the greatest havoc was wrought on deck. So powerful was the blast from these weapons that it smashed into matchwood four boats that were lying in their sea stowage.

Some such result as this was expected, although the gunners hardly anticipated to make so much firewood as they did. But the boat smashing was counted as of no importance beside the fact that the mountings of the raised guns showed no signs of weakness, nor was any discomfort felt by

the men in the turret over which the guns fired.

Subsequently the anti-torpedo armament was subjected to trials, and the Orion tested her torpedoes. The latter are of the newest type, propelled by heated air, which gives them higher speed and a great effective range.

"Highly satisfactory" is the verdict of the experts who put the ship through official tests. And the conclusion is deserved, for not only has she proved a remarkably sound and steady gun platform, but her engines are capable of propelling her at 22 knots per hour, this being a knot above the stipulated speed.

The Orion has now gone into Portsmouth dockyard to prepare for her maiden commission. She is to serve this as flagship of the Second Battleship Squadron, in place of the Hibernia, and carry the flag of Rear-Admiral King-Hall. So much importance did the admiralty attach to the Orion's gun trials that they placed the assistant director of naval ordnance in command of the ship whilst she was undergoing her series of official tests.

REPUBLIC DECLARED BY CHINESE REBEL LEADERS

(Continued from page 1.)

The party interviewed Colonel Li, the rebel commander, who treated them with every courtesy and assured them of their safety while in the city.

The consul-general gathered up 54 foreigners, who had not yet left the city, including Englishmen, Americans and Italians, and took them back to Hankow. The missionaries were accompanied by 300 of their Chinese proteges. The party was unmolested on its way through Wu Chang, being escorted all the way by a squad of rebel troops.

It is reported that Chang Sha, capital of Hunan, has risen in revolt and that at Nanking, the southern capital of Kiang Su, the yamens of the viceroy and Tartar men have been destroyed. Twenty miles of the Peking and Hankow railway have been torn up and bridges burned.

Unprecedented Crisis.

Peking, Oct. 12.—China to-day faces an unprecedented crisis. With the spread of revolutionary activity the opinion is gaining ground that the fate of the ruling dynasty hangs in the balance. The revolution is no longer confined to the central provinces, a thousand miles away from the capital, Peking itself being threatened.

Members of the cabinet admitted to-day that the garrison here is known to be honeycombed with revolutionary sentiment. The same conditions exist in the two great military posts which guard the capital, Pau Ting Fu and Tien Tsin.

There are still official attempts made to minimize the gravity of the situation, but the reports reaching the capital give little basis for hope. To-day's news include reports that Chang King was in danger, that Li-Chang had been taken, that Yeh-chow had fallen and

that communication between Hankow and Chang Sha, the capital of Hunan province, was interrupted.

An edict published to-day offers pardon to all revolutionaries "who were coerced into joining the rebellion." The pardon is conditional, however, on their expressing suitable repentance for their defection.

The government to-day followed its act of yesterday, cashing the viceroy of Wu Chang by extending the same treatment to General Chang Piao, the commander of the troops in the Wu Chang district, where this week's outbreaks began.

Every effort of the authorities for the present will be concentrated in an attempt to provide adequate defence for the capital of the empire. The programme for the autumn manoeuvres in Kai Fong, about one hundred miles south of Peking, where 20,000 troops were to have participated in drills, was cancelled to-day and the sixth division of the army was ordered to entrain this afternoon for Fong Tai, a suburb of this city.

The government in its reports on the situation is attempting to convey the impression that the revolutionists are without trained leaders or adequate organization. But the revolutionists have a real chief, well versed in military affairs, in General Li Quan Hong. Secret advice received here indicate that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, whom the revolutionists hope to elect president of a Chinese republic, was at Shanghai last week and may by now be on the scene of operations at Wu Chang or Hankow.

Revolution Is Spreading. San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 12.—According to advices received here, the revolution is spreading. An uprising has occurred in the province of Hunan, south of Hupeh. The capital has fallen and 20 miles of railroad has been destroyed.

At Hankow the foreign consuls have declared their strict neutrality. As a precautionary measure, however, the foreign residents are drilling daily and preparing to defend the concession.

Chang Piao, commander-in-chief of the imperial forces, in Hupeh, was badly wounded yesterday and has taken refuge in the Japanese concession at Hankow.

Mon Yin Hing, the minister of war, reached Pau Ting Fu, 100 miles south of Peking, yesterday morning, and continued his advance. He could not proceed far, however, owing to the destruction of railroad tracks and the activities of the revolutionists.

Well-informed persons here say that little is known regarding Li Yuan Hing and that he probably had been elected to the presidency of the newly-proclaimed republic only temporarily.

He is said to have received a European education and to have graduated from the Northern Naval Academy at Tien Tsin. He was a commander in the imperial national army which revolted.

ima, the head of the third squadron of the Japanese navy. The Chinese gunboats are anchored off the foreign concessions for their own safety.

Young China Movement. London, Oct. 12.—The movement in China is that of the Young China party, and the leader is said to be Dr. Sun Yat Sen, whose imprisonment by the Chinese legation in London sixteen years ago led to a tremendous public outcry. Dr. Sen paid a visit to

England six months ago and then went to America.

The Times' Peking correspondent says the rebels have captured not only the large government arsenal at Hankow but also the mint, with two million taels in silver bullion.

It is expected that at any moment a sympathetic outbreak may be announced at Canton, and there is also danger of a mutiny at Nanking and other large centres.

KILLED ON THE TRACK.

Buckley, Wash., Oct. 12.—An unidentified man, struck by a N. P. train near here at 6.30 last night, died later in the hospital without speaking a word. No papers were found upon him that would give a hint as to his name or place of residence. His head was badly crushed, and it was a marvel to the attending physicians that he lived as long as he did.

It developed that the man applied early last evening at the Buckley hall for a night's lodging, but was refused. He turned away, and it is supposed that he laid down on the tracks and fell asleep.

It is computed that when we rest we consume 200 cubic inches of air a minute. If we walk at the rate of one mile an hour we use 800; two miles, 1,600; three miles, 2,400; four miles, 3,200. If we start out and run six miles an hour we consume 3,800 cubic inches of air during every minute of the time.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. W. Mines has arrived at the Empress hotel from Los Angeles.

S. Atkinson, a business man of Nanaimo, has been in town for a few days.

R. Bateman is dividing a fortnight's holiday between Ashcroft and Waltham.

Mrs. Tallow, of Vancouver, has been the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

Mr. McArthur, J. P., of Cedar Cottage, has been spending the past week in Victoria.

G. L. Kirk, of Winnipeg, has arrived in the city, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. C. W. Bates, of Prince Rupert, is entertaining her brother, Mr. R. MacDonald, of Victoria.

Mrs. L. C. Young, who has been entertained by Victoria friends, has left for her home in Nanaimo.

Ethelbert O. S. Schuchfield, provincial librarian and architect, is on an official trip to Clinton and Lillooet.

Mr. N. Gibson, general manager of Norton-Griffith & Co., Vancouver, is registered at the Empress on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fullerton, of Gordon Head, have as guests for several days Dr. and Mrs. Newton Drier, of Vancouver.

G. P. Napier, of the engineering department of public works, is on a business trip to Prince Rupert and other northern points.

Customs Inspector William James Barnes was the guest of Madame Eames and M. De Gogorza at the Empress last evening.

Dr. P. H. Bryce, chief medical inspector of the department of immigration, has returned to the city from a brief visit to Prince Rupert.

R. M. Palmer left for his home in Kamloops yesterday after spending a few days in the city. Mr. Palmer was formerly deputy minister of agriculture.

Howard Miller, one of Victoria's well-known young men, has had the honor of being elected president of the Freshman Class in Medicine, a class of 35, at McGill this year.

Harry Alsopp, of Nanaimo, who has recently undergone a serious operation at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, in this city, will be able to leave for his home in a few days.

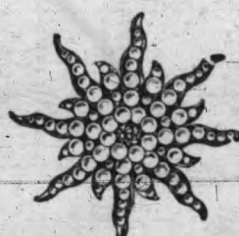
City Solicitor Hay, City Engineer Fellows and Ald. McMasters, Enright, Williamson and Cameron returned home to Vancouver yesterday, having completed their business with the government.

D. Murphy, a director, and D. M. Finnie, assistant general manager of the Bank of Ottawa, who has been on a brief visit to Victoria, accompanied by Charles G. Pennock, manager of the Vancouver branch, have returned to the mainland.

Albert Brooks, of England, is in the city, a guest at the Empress. Mr. Brooks is an associate member of the

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"Someone has said 'thinking' is just what nobody wishes to do. These words hold the explanation of the insufficiency and mediocrity of human existence, for truly no one wishes to reflect. How many even intelligent men and women live without ever performing this function?"

Dora Melegari.

How often do you think?

"What a ridiculous question," you say. "Why, all the time, of course."

But do you?

I know I don't.

And before you are so cocksure that you do, please let me define what I mean by thinking.

Or better, still, I'll let someone else define it for me. "I am entirely convinced," says Arnold Bennett, "that what is more than anything else lacking in the life of the average, well intentioned man of to-day is the reflective mood. We do not reflect. I mean, we do not reflect upon genuinely important things; upon the direction in which we are going; upon what life is giving to us; upon the share which reason has in determining our actions; and upon the relation between our principle and our conduct."

Now that's the kind of thinking I mean.

And how much of it do you do?

You sit in a trolley car—by "you" I mean you and your next door neighbor—and I, all rolled into one, in a word, "the average person"—and you look out the window and dream. You see a white gown getting splattered with mud and you think you must have your white nainsook washed next week. From that your mind roves idly to a new frock you are going to have made, and a letter you must write to your dressmaker, and then you think how warm it is for this time of year, and wonder if it's that which makes you so sleepy, or because you sat up rather later than usual to play cards, and you wonder what time so-and-so got home.

So your mind drifts.

But that isn't thinking—no more than idly raddling your hands in the water is rowing, or will propel your boat to any definite destination.

Of course, one must rest on one's oars some of the time, but on the other hand one must row occasionally if one wants to get anywhere.

And the men and women who do get somewhere in this world are the men and women who do set to, and row some of the time instead of perpetually drifting, the men and women who do think occasionally instead of dreaming all the time.

Suppose the next time you are sitting in a trolley car with half an hour in which to dream you try thinking instead.

Concentrate on some important letter you have to write and think out just what you are going to say.

Try to recall some of the poetry you once learned.

Think over some big public question, such as woman's suffrage or prohibition, or the need of more stringent divorce laws, or the recall, and marshal all the arguments for and against.

Study the advertisements in the car. Decide which are good and which are poor and why.

Or, best of all, reflect upon some genuinely important things—upon the direction in which you are going—upon what life is giving you.

Of course, as Mr. Bennett warns us, you will not have gone ten yards before your mind has skipped away under your very eye, and is larking around the corner with another subject.

But if it does, to quote once more, bring it back by the scruff of the neck, bring it back forty times, if necessary.

If you do perhaps by and by you may get the habit of really thinking.

"I will if you will."

Ruth Cameron

PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre.

"A Business Proposal" being played at the Empress theatre this week by Irene Hobson and Charles Deland occasions much enjoyment and merriment as the couple are conducting their confused business matters on the stage. Much of the success of the sketch is due to Miss Hobson's appearance. The singing girls, Elsie Wales and Mabelle Meredith, are meeting with success here, and the Bayley trio of athletes provides fun and a series of clever tumbling feats. Will Lochrane, the Scotch comedian, and the Quinn Brothers and Miss Rosner provide enjoyable turns that complete the bill.

Majestic Theatre.

The week-end bill is just a little mite better than ever and four crack-jack reels are going to make talk that will last long after the films have gone on to delight audiences in other cities. "She Came, She Saw, She Conquered," takes us back to our boyhood days, and we live them all over again with the boys and the girls we knew. "In the Paris Slums," Pathe drama, "Extracting Palm Juice in the Forest," an instructive interesting picture, "Vienna, Austria"—A travelogue giving a series of good views of the famous capital, "The Ranchman's Son," cowboy film, "The Secret," comic, "The Fountain of Youth," a

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extend out over the spout of the kettle, and are connected by wires to an electric bell. When the ends of the arms meet a circuit is formed which rings the bell. These points of contact are separated when the kettle is put over the fire by means of a lump of sugar placed between the two. The first puff of steam that issue from the spout, just as the water is beginning to boil, melt the sugar and bring the arms together, ringing the bell. The cook then pours the water over the tea leaves at once.

"MERRY WIDOW" WALTZ

The curious story of the origin of the famous "Merry Widow" waltz as it was danced at Daly's, is told by Miss Lily Elsie in an interesting account of her stage career which is published in the October Royal Magazine. As for the famous waltz, "says Miss Elsie, "I simply loved it. The waltz, as it was danced at Daly's, was quite different from the Continental version. And the position which proved so popular, was the result of an accident. One day, after a long rehearsal when we were all dead tired and extremely irritable, we were told to go through the waltz again. Feeling desperate, Mr. Coyne and I stood up. Suddenly, without a word of warning, he seized me suddenly, grabbing my hand, and glaring down at me as much as to say, 'Come along, for heaven's sake, and let's get it over.' The novel position and our combined fierceness so appealed to the producers that we were told to repeat it henceforth. That is how the English 'Merry Widow' waltz was invented."

A STOLEN QUEEN

An Egyptian mummy described as that of Queen Ahmes Nefertari, wife of King Rameses V, who reigned nearly four thousand years ago, and mother of the Pharaohs, has been found in a black-chamber, a small room, where a qualified dealer purchased it. The body was stolen from an Egyptian temple by Arabs, who stripped away the wrappings to obtain the jewels buried with the Queen.

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Manitoba Free-Press Reviews
Long Record of Laurier
Administration

In resigning the helm to his successor, Sir Wilfrid Laurier can look back with satisfaction over the progress the good ship Canada has made during the fifteen years he has been guiding her course. The Canadian people, too, have reason for satisfaction that Sir Wilfrid's successor measures up so worthily to the high standard which has happily been fixed by the men who thus far in our country's history have, as chiefs of state, carried the burden of responsibilities attached to that high office. We need never cease to hope the best for our country, so long as the choice of pilot lies between men of such high character as Laurier and Borden.

It must be a supreme satisfaction to Sir Wilfrid that, though defeated, he still has the respect and admiration of his fellow-countrymen. That the attitude of the Conservative press, in commenting upon his defeat, has been singularly generous is a fact whose significance is not lessened by the consideration that the victorious party can afford to be generous. Partisanship has been known to smother such sentiments. The tributes to Sir Wilfrid have been given in a spirit which will be appreciated by all true Canadians. In defeat, as in victory, Sir Wilfrid is an inspiring figure. His example is an inspiration to all who fought with him. It must be a satisfaction to him that it was upon a big issue that he went to defeat. The verdict of the electorate is one which does not challenge the record of his government. He finds himself in the minority in Parliament because a majority of the electors disagreed with him and his colleagues upon a matter of large policy.

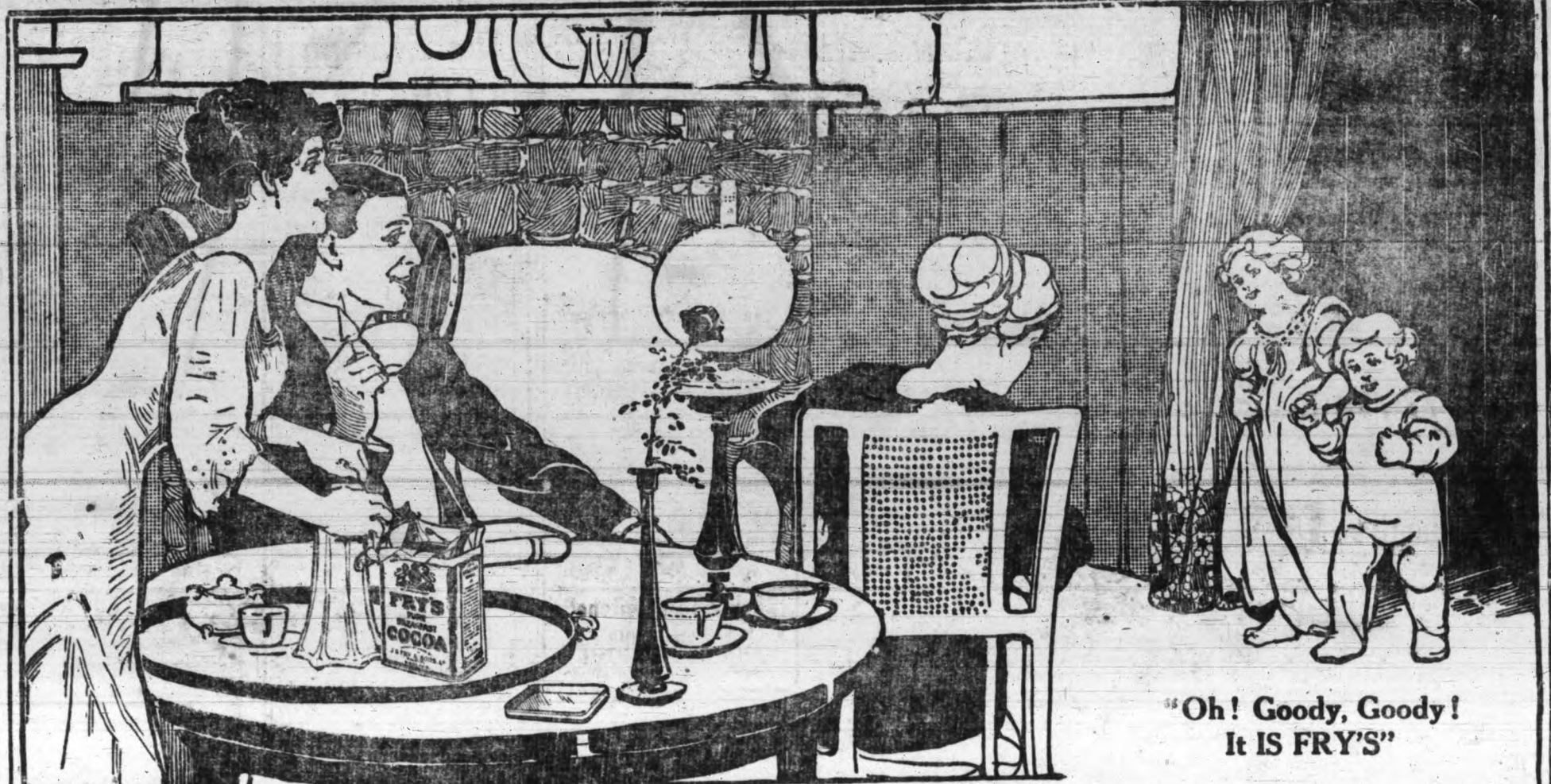
Under the guidance of the government of which Sir Wilfrid was the head Canada has grown in strength and standing, until to-day our country's unexampled prosperity is a matter of comment the world over. The government which has gone out of office will be known in Canada's history as the government that developed the west, promoted the expansion of Canadian trade, and inaugurated the British preference, and called the young men of Canada home. When Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues took office in 1896 they found a Canada from which its young people were departing. Mr. Borden and his colleagues in the Dominion government found it a country to which the young people of other lands came gladly.

It was said of Gladstone that he had the power as a speaker of investing even the dry bones of statistics with interest and charm. The statistics which show the difference between the Canada of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Canada of Mr. Borden are, however, so remarkable as to claim attention of themselves, without the aid of the eloquence of their significance. The aggregate trade of Canada in the fiscal year 1896 was \$239,025,560. In the fiscal year 1910, the last for which the completed figures are accessible, it was \$692,211,221. The figures for eleven months of the fiscal year 1911 show an increase of \$75,798,352 over the year preceding. In 1878, the year in which the government of Sir John Macdonald took office, the aggregate trade of Canada was \$172,405,454. Thus in the eighteen years of the Conservative regime, from 1878 to 1896, the aggregate trade of Canada increased about 40 per cent., while in the fifteen years of the Liberal regime it has increased nearly 200 per cent.

Canada's total trade with Great Britain rose from \$7,173,879 in 1878 to \$95,512,446 in 1896, to \$234,879,372 in 1910. Canada's trade with the United States rose from \$76,134,217 in 1878 to \$57,988,818 in 1896, to \$321,702,090 in 1910. The assets of the chartered banks amounted to \$175,450,274 in 1896; they amounted to \$320,937,643 in 1898; the bank deposits in 1878 were \$18,222,470; in 1896 they were \$70,100,890. In 1910 they were \$70,100,890. In 1878 there were 5,778 postoffices in Canada, and 44,000,000 letters were mailed; in 1896 there were 9,163 postoffices, and 116,000,000 letters were mailed; in 1910 there were 12,887 postoffices, and 156,088,000 letters were mailed. In 1878 there were 6,225 miles of steam railway in operation in Canada; in 1896 there were 16,270 miles; in 1910 there were 24,731 miles. The number of tons of freight carried by the railways was 7,883,472 in 1878; it was 24,266,825 in 1896; and it was 74,482,866 in 1910. These are sample showings of how the statistics of Canada's growth and prosperity during the eighteen years of Conservative rule previous to 1896 compare with the statistics of growth and prosperity in the period of Liberal rule since 1896.

Mr. Fielding holds the record of having been not only by far the most successful of Canadian Ministers of Finance, but of having been in charge of the Dominion finances longer than any other minister has held that position in the Dominion government or any other government in the Empire overseas, and longer than any Chancellor of the Exchequer in Great Britain since the beginning of the last century. When the Liberal government took office in 1896, the country was in an era of annual deficits running into millions. For the fiscal year 1897 Mr. Fielding cut the deficit down to \$519,951, and for every succeeding year there has been a surplus. The series has been unbroken, last year's reaching the figure of \$22,091,184. The growing annual surpluses made it possible for the government to undertake great national works and improvements. "The large sum our predecessors expended was extravagance," said Mr. Fielding on one occasion, "because they did not have it to expend; the larger sum we have expended is economy, because we have lived within our means."

The outstanding principle of the Liberal government's fiscal policy has been, of course, the British preference, which at once arrested the decline of Great Britain's exports to Canada, and resulted in greatly increased trade. Its



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inauguration was followed by a wonderful increase in the export of Canadian farm products to Great Britain. In introducing the original British preference resolution in 1897, Mr. Fielding said: "Why should we wait for England to take action? England has dealt generously with us in the past. England has given us a larger degree of liberty, perhaps than is possessed by any other country on the face of the earth. She has given us liberty to tax her wares, even when she admits our goods free, and we have taxed them to an enormous degree. Why should we wait for England to do more? Someone must make a move in this matter, and we propose that Canada shall lead the way." The preference was subsequently increased, and the Liberal government, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier declared only a short time ago, had the principle of tariff preference to Great Britain nailed to the masthead.

When the Liberal government took office, western Canada was stagnant. The trails across the boundary were worn smooth by the passage of departing population. The development of the west was made a foremost work of the new administration, the department of the interior being wholly made over, and a policy of immigration and prosperity during the eighteen years of Conservative rule previous to 1896 compared with the statistics of growth and prosperity in the period of Liberal rule since 1896.

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tailed by the British taxpayer. Command of the Canadian militia by a Canadian military council has been substituted for command by an Imperial military officer. The Canadian troops won glory in the South African war, to which the government and the patriotic course of sending the troops to the front. As for the Canadian navy, it is yet in its infancy. The policy inaugurated by the Liberal government is that the vessels shall be built of Canadian materials, shall have Canadian officers and crew, and be under the jurisdiction of the Canadian parliament.

Among the matters of outstanding importance in the fifteen years' record of the Liberal government stands the series of reforms worked out for the benefit of the grain-growing industry of the west. The leading platform provisions, the provisions in regard to the furnishing of cars, the improvements in the inspection system; in a word, the whole compulsion of the railways and the elevator interests to conform with just and equitable requirements in the interests of the individual graingrower, has been worked out, in a chain of amending acts of parliament, under the Liberal government. Mention must also be made of the provision of a complete equipment of cold storage transportation, the establishing of a complete system of supervision and inspection of the handling and transit of food products from the point of production in Canada to the markets in Great Britain, the appointments of a live stock commission, the creation of a seeds branch, and the reorganization of the veterinary department.

One of the first reforms introduced by the Liberal government was the reduction of the rate of postage from three to two cents. Mr. Foster, the Minister of Finance in the Conservative government, had said in his place in the House in 1896 that such a reduction was out of the question. The Liberal government also took the lead in bringing about Imperial penny postage, and more recently established a special low preferential rate of postage on British papers, magazines and periodicals, in order to encourage their circulation in this country.

A specially creditable feature in the Liberal government's record is the manner in which Mr. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways, was able by means of a sound, business-like policy, including the taking over of branch lines as feeders, to put the Intercolonial railway on a paying basis. Mention must also be made of the new Railway Act of 1903, by which the

way law was extensively amended and the railway commission created. Another great reform which stands to the credit of the Liberal government is the creation of the civil service commission, and the placing of appointments to the inside service on the basis of merit, by competitive examination.

No resume, however hurried, of the Liberal government's record can fail to make mention of the immense advance in the status of Canada in Imperial affairs during the past fifteen years. Notable in this connection is the arrangement made, with the hearty co-operation of the British government, by which Canada now makes her own commercial treaties.

The Liberal government thus passes out of office in honor, with a record of work faithfully done for Canada which will ever stand to its credit in the memory of the Canadian people. No well-wisher of Mr. Borden and his colleagues in the new Dominion government can wish them better than that their regard of service may be worthy of comparison with that of the government which has just passed into history, and that when the time comes for the Conservative government to pass out, its passing will be without dishonor. No Canadian citizen who in the exercise of his franchise supported the Liberal government has reason to regard the new turn in the affairs of the country in any other light than as giving him inspiration for greater devotion than ever to the principles which are of the essence of liberalism. In working for the welfare and advancement and honor of Canada, which it is the common duty and privilege of all Canadians to labor for.

MORMON TEMPLE SECRETS.
Salt Lake City Scandalized By Revelations of Photographs.

To the consternation of the officials of the Mormon Church they find that secret photographs have been taken of the interior of the Mormon temple in Salt Lake City, which has been constructed to outvie the magnificence of Solomon's temple, and which has never been entered by any except the Latter Day Saints. Copies of the photographs have been sent to "Prophet" Smith, with a notice that unless the Mormon Church buys the photos the pictures will be exposed to public view, revealing to the world all the wonderful interior of the sacred temple.

The photographs number fifty-eight, and disclose the marvelous baptismal

font, decorated with gold and enamel and supported by twelve golden oxen, the beautiful stained-glass windows, inlaid with jewels, depicting scenes from the Mormon "Bible," the life-sized bronze and gold statues of the "Archangel Moroni," and the church's early "prophets" and many other views of the lavish luxury which the Morons have installed in the temple at a total cost exceeding a million pounds.

One set of pictures is specially devoted to the wonderful staircase, said to be the most magnificent of any building in the world, leading from the basement to the fourth and fifth floors at the top, which altogether constitute the "Paradise" Room, the most gorgeous chamber in the temple. The person holding the photographs is a former publichouse keeper of Salt Lake City, who has come to New York to negotiate for their sale. He has refused to consider an offer of \$20,000, and says the photos will not be sold except at a much higher figure. The Mormons are threatening proceedings for blackmail and theft, but the dealer laughs at these threats.

It has been discovered that the pictures have actually been taken by a German professional photographer, who was recently converted to Mormonism. He went to Salt Lake City from Germany and became high in the confidence of the church officials. It is not known, however, how he concealed what he was doing, for it required nearly a year to secure all the pictures. The temple is constantly protected by two outer guards and one inner guard, who keep surveillance over all Mormons, from the highest to the lowest, entering the sacred precincts.

Several of the pictures have apparently been taken by flashlight, yet nobody suspected that the German was smuggling a camera into the building. One picture is a slow time exposure, and the German, after opening the lens, walked in front of the camera and took his own picture in the temple. Ninety per cent. of the Mormons themselves have seen but a small part of the interior of the temple, most of the rooms being sacred to the high church dignitaries. All these, however, have been photographed. The temple must not be confused with the great Mormon tabernacle at Salt Lake City. The latter is open to Gentile visitors, but the temple itself, where ordination rites, marriages, and baptisms are performed, is considered too sacred to be seen by anybody except converts. The records of Mormon plural marriages are presumably kept in the temple, but though the photographer searched with the intention of snaphotting them he could not discover their hiding place.

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Possibility That Turko-Italian War May Develop Into Religious Conflict

The long-expected Jihad, or Holy War, that the Mohammedans will some day wage against Christendom is a possibility of the present Turkish-Italian trouble that ought not to be overlooked. It is not forgotten that the Sultan of Turkey is not only the temporal ruler of his empire, but the spiritual head of all who believe in the Koran. The mantle of Mahomet is supposed to have descended on him and British subjects in India and Egypt, French subjects in Algeria, and German subjects in other parts of the world owe allegiance to him. Writers on Far Eastern questions have frequently discussed the probability of Mohammedans everywhere uniting in one supreme effort to drive the infidel from the Orient, and so win merit and hours for themselves in that Paradise that is said to await the faithful if they have qualified themselves in this world by destroying a Christian or two. So often, indeed, have the perils of the Jihad been held up to us that there may be danger of its disregarding it and taking no account of the strong spiritual bond that unites all Mohammedans.

It must be admitted that the life and conduct of Abdul and the subsequent triumph of the Young Turks have done much to shake the confidence of Mohammedans in their belief that their spiritual chief is a ruler of any supernatural powers. Enthusiasts have arisen who have declared the Sultan to be an impostor and a Christian at heart. Far in the interior of Tripoli at this moment is a prophet whose authority with Mohammedans is probably greater than that of the present Sultan or his brother. This is none other than the "Veiled Prophet of Islam," whom never a Christian has seen, and who dwells in greater mystery and seclusion than that which surrounded the Dalai Lama. His name is unknown, and it is more than suspected that the prophet who was described a couple of years ago by an adventurous Tunisian who penetrated to his presence has since died and that a new chief of the Sennoussi sect has taken his place. This fact does not alter the situation as far as Christians are concerned, for one Sennoussi would be just as fanatical a Mohammedan as another, and his influence with his followers would be just as strong.

The Sennoussi are not the champions of a new cult. They are simply the exponents of Mahomet's doctrine. The Koran is good enough for them, and though the first Mahdi—the great ruler is supposed to be the fourth of the dynasty—wrote a book on the subject, it was not in the nature of higher criticism. It was a battle-cry calling the faithful to the old worship, which, according to the Mahdi, has been corrupted of late years and disfigured by the commentaries of Oriental preachers. This book, which bears the modest title of "The Rising Sun," is a political as well as a theological treatise, and it is this aspect of it that is most interesting. It denounces Christians in the most ferocious language, and declares that for all their fair promises, they deal with Orientals only for the purpose of tricking or corrupting them. It pillories the Sultan as a mere hanger-on of Christian powers and as a backslider from the true belief.

It is enjoined upon every true Sennoussi that he shall have no intercourse with Jew or Christian. The old stark virtues of Mahomet are praised. Wine, of course, is forbidden, and the present Mahdi or his immediate predecessor has even banned tobacco. Tea in moderation may be drunk, but it is about the only indulgence permitted. Poverty and hardship are commended to believers, and the enervating effects of a life of luxury are pointed out. The Mahdi himself is a man who practices what he preaches, and must be recognized as a sincere religious fanatic. His teachings assume importance when it is known that millions of Mohammedans believe in him as they believe in the founder of their religion. His shrine in the hinterland of Tripoli is thronged every day of the year by Mohammedans, some of whom have travelled thousands of miles to prostrate themselves before him and receive his blessing. He dwells on the rim of the desert, and is the only law acknowledged by the Berbers and Arabs. Turkish authority disappears altogether when the Mahdi speaks, and whether he will speak for or against the Sultan may have a determining effect on the war.

It will be recalled that it was a savage chieftain, Menzeli, who broke the power of the Italian army at Adowa, and should Italy press into the interior of Tripoli, once it has swept the Turkish garrisons from the coast territory, the messengers of the prophet may be sent out to summon the faithful to the fray. The Berbers are quite as good fighters as the Abyssinians, and memory of her former adventure may cause Italy to walk delicately in Tripoli.

LATEST MARRIAGE VOWS.

The objection of the modern woman to the use of the word "obey" in the marriage service has found new support from the pen of Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, a leading suffragist of Boston, Mass. Her suggestion is that the form should be changed to read thus:

"I take thee to be my wedded husband, to have and to hold, etc., in sickness and in health, to love, honor and cherish, until death us do part."

"I promise to aid and assist my husband (or wife) in every way, and to help him (or her) to uphold his (or her) political views, and I agree to settle all marital difficulties out of court."

Miss Blackwell said: "The word 'obey' in the marriage service is now generally being objected to, and many women, whether believers in suffrage or not, refuse to repeat it in the marriage service. I think suffragists would very generally concur in advising its removal from the marriage ceremony."

"Many years ago there used to be

a religious organization known as the 'Militia of Jesus Christ.' In their marriage ceremony each party to the contract agreed to do all that was possible to aid in the other's attempt to further the cause of Christianity. 'It was from this that I got the suggestion of putting in a slightly varied form for the use of believers in suffrage.'"

The introduction of politics into the marriage ceremony is a decided novelty, but not more so than the proposal to settle all difficulties out of court. What would be the method, the calling pin or the pocket?—Ottawa Free Press.

LOST SUBMARINE

Unlucky A1 Disappears in Selsey Bill Quickhands.

Among the rank and file of the navy the news that the submarine A1 has disappeared for ever will not occasion overmuch regret, for she was a most unlucky boat, and those who had to serve on her always imagined they were taking their lives in their hands.

The vanishing of the A1 was rather mysterious. She has for some time been used as an experimental ship, and a fortnight ago was submerged in shallow water off Selsey Bill, no crew being aboard, for the purpose of testing the resistance of the hull to an explosion of gun cotton in her vicinity and under water.

Apparently the rivets of her hull were badly started, if she was not actually holed, by the force of the explosion, for an apparatus attached to the periscope and let down into the hull failed to act. The object of the apparatus was to move levers which would have admitted compressed air to "blow" her submerging tank clear of water, and so brought the submarine to the surface.

All the sandbanks east of Selsey Bill are of loose, shifting nature, and measures were promptly taken by tenders of the submarine depot to sweep the spot with a long steel hawser, towed by two tugs. No trace of the A1 could be found, however, and subsequent sweeping operations have failed to locate her. Her hull must have been buried very rapidly for the vessel to disappear so promptly in Selsey Bill quicksands and defy sweeping operations.

The A1 is scarcely a loss to the Navy, for she is regarded as obsolescent. She has always been an unlucky ship. She is associated with our greatest naval disasters in connection with submarines, for on March 15, 1904, she was run down by a liner at the eastern approaches to Spithead, and two young officers and nine men aboard were drowned.

The vessel was diving at the time, and the officer in command, Lieut. Mansergh, saw the liner too late to steer clear. He decided to dive still more to get right under the liner, and with two seconds more would have cleared her keel.

She was saved exactly a month later, having sunk in the tide race, this making raising very difficult. The crew of eleven were buried in one grave at Haslar Naval Cemetery.

The vessel was used again for naval work, and there was a severe explosion of petrol vapour aboard, one man being fatally injured.

The A1 had a surface speed of fifteen knots and of ten knots submerged, and had a radius of action of three hundred miles. The latest submarines are said to be so safe that the element of danger in diving has been eliminated, and the only risk is from collision and explosion.

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STRIKE VICTIMS.

Ethical Points in Union Problems Considered.

A nice ethical point arises from the case reported of three boys, one an emaciated, half-starved youngster, who were charged with begging and remanded by St. James Ritchie, at the Guildhall Juvenile court.

The fathers of the boys had sacrificed good positions to come out on strike at 18s. per week strike pay, with the result that their families were in a state of destitution. The children of a printer who earned 15s per week were found to be sleeping five in a bed without bedclothes; and in the other case a London County Council school's officer found that of a previously neat home, with its pianoforte, little remained but the beds and a pile of pawn tickets relating to the home effects.

St. James Ritchie, in remanding the children, is reported to have said that he thought the union leaders who got the money out of these poor weak men ought to be made to suffer. The following are opinions gleaned by a newspaper man concerning a case as this: Loyalty to the union or to his family? "It is a very hard case, a very hard case; it makes me sorry to read it. But the man must either come out or lose his payments and be treated as a blackleg." "He must, if trade unionism is not to become a byword, a farce, he must obey his union whatever the sacrifice."

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ing case, and a difficult point. Shall a man sacrifice his wife and children out of loyalty to his union? There is another aspect—consider the way in which low wages are decimating the child population all the year round. In a district where wages are low as compared with a district where wages are good you will find, though I have not the figures by me, that the death per 1,000 is at least double that of the better class district. It is a matter for great regret that the unions do not make

some provision to meet such a case as this where there is such a large family of children.

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FAVORS HOME RULE

Believes United Ireland Would Make the British Empire Impregnable

One of the results of the recent great strike in England and the tying up of the Irish railroads because of labor troubles has been a very general discussion of the question of the state ownership of the railroads, and there has been a somewhat astonishing sentiment in favor of such action.

It is said that both Chancellor Lloyd-George and Home Secretary Churchill are strongly inclined toward the idea of state ownership, and there is no doubt they are the strongest men in the cabinet. It is hardly probable that the present agitation will lead to any definite action along that line for the present at least, but on the other hand there is no denying the fact that such action is by no means impossible after the government has gotten home rule, the insurance bill, Welsh disestablishment and one or two other pressing matters off its hands.

When the demand for nationalization of railways began to attract serious consideration five years back the newspapers were flooded with protests, not only from railway directors and officials, but from shareholders. Now holders of shares, which they have seen all but tumble out of the gilt-edged security basket, are anxiously inquiring through the same journals whether shareholders would not find their interests protected more effectively against strikes by government ownership than under the existing system.

One "stockholder of twenty years' standing" says he would be "happy to exchange my certificates for scrip guaranteed by the government." Others say substantially the same thing.

Speaking of home rule, it is to be noted that many influential unionists are coming around to the opinion that the time has come when a measure of home rule should be granted to Ireland. Following the remarkable letter of Sir A. Conan Doyle to Belfast anti-home rulers, the head of the unionist movement has met with a statement absolutely favorable to home rule has been followed by other unionists with similar expressions. One Tory M. P. goes so far as to suggest a conference between the four leaders of the Liberal, Conservative, Irish and Labor parties, with leading "Unionist" and "Home Rule" for the purpose of preparing a measure which might be adopted without opposition.

Sir Conan Doyle's position is worth relating. He says:

"I think a solid, loyal Ireland is the one thing the empire needs to make it impregnable and I believe that the men of the north will have patriotism so broad and enlightened that they will understand this and will sacrifice for the moment their racial and religious feelings in the conviction that they are truly serving the empire. 'There may be an element of risk in home rule, but we ran the risk in Canada and Africa, so surely we need not fear after two successes to try it once again. I believe that after an experience of united, friendly Ireland nothing could induce the north to go back to the old conditions.'"

Much interest has been aroused in political circles by an unofficial programme which has been put forward for the unionist party.

The principal proposals are: 1. Disestablishment. With regard to the reform of the House of Lords, it is proposed to eliminate entirely the hereditary system, and to set up a second chamber elected on thoroughly democratic lines.

This is an advance of the scheme put forward by Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Balfour, who proposed to retain a limited number of hereditary peers in the reformed house. These were to be elected by the peers amongst themselves.

In advocating disestablishment, the authors of the unofficial programme have doubtless been influenced by the action of those spiritual peers who supported the veto bill during its passage through the upper house.

Commenting on the programme the Pall Mall Gazette says:

"The programme has recorded its own failure, both in intelligence and character, to meet the necessities of the time, and no unionist leader will again venture to prejudice his programme of reform by trying to find a corner for the emblem of hereditary privilege. Henceforth unionists will have nothing to do with any second chamber that is not fully and frankly democratic, and this in itself will make immense difference to the prospects, with which they address themselves to the electorate."

"The action of the bishops, too, has been injurious, and set us free to consider afresh all that class of questions in which religious preconceptions are so potent a factor. For the future the unionist party acknowledges no trusteeship, either for the privileges of the established church or for the status of the voluntary schools."

"Without animus upon the one side or the other, it will be at liberty to follow the principle of the 'square deal,' placing the 'greater interest' of the community in the foreground and looking for practical solutions that will suppress the noxious elements of clerical faction in our public life. Unionism has been very greatly handicapped by historical associations, which made it extremely difficult for a self-respecting nonconformist to declare himself either an imperialist or a tariff reformer."

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A TARIFF COMMISSION

Opposition Develops to Any Further Increase in British Preference

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 12.—The question

as to whether or not the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, in convention here, should forward a resolution to Hon. R. L. Borden, and draw his attention to the fact that the manufacturers would oppose further preference to Great Britain, suffered matters some at yesterday's session.

Finally a resolution proposed by G. Raser, of St. John's, Quebec, and R. S. Gourlay, of Toronto, was passed by a vote after opposition, requesting the tariff committee to draw up a resolution, to be submitted to the council of the association and by it presented to the government, favoring the appointment of a tariff commission to thoroughly investigate conditions in the interest of the whole of Canada, and that the members of the association give every assistance in furnishing data to assist them in carrying on their work.

The resolution proposed but later withdrawn suggested that the government be asked to make the British preference the flat rate of 33 1-3 per cent.

The business of the convention was practically concluded this morning by the adoption of the report of the committee on resolutions and the announcement of the result of the elections as follows:

President, N. Curry, Montreal; vice-president, R. S. Gourlay, Toronto; Ontario vice-president, B. McLaughlin, Oshawa; Quebec vice-president, C. B. Gordon, Montreal; Manitoba vice-president, M. E. Christie, Winnipeg; British Columbia vice-president, James Ramsay, Vancouver; Nova Scotia vice-president, J. H. Edwards, London; New Brunswick vice-president, Prince Edward Island vice-president, John Palmer, Fredericton; Alberta and Saskatchewan vice-president, W. H. Clarke, Edmonton; treasurer, Geo. Booth, Toronto.

ONTARIO ELECTIONS.

Whitney Will Go to Country End of November.

Toronto, Oct. 12.—Sir James Whitney announced last night that the provincial elections would be held about end of November or first week in December.

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BRIBING A JURY.

Charges Made in Connection With Murder Trial.

Kansas City, Oct. 13.—"There's a fellow on that jury that can be bought. Leave it to me and I'll fix it." In the foregoing words, according to an affidavit made by Dr. B. Clarke Hyde, Harry Hoffman, a deputy county marshal, sought a bribe from the physician on March 4, 1910, during his first trial for the alleged murder of Col. Turner W. Swope.

The affidavit was introduced in the criminal court here yesterday during a hearing on the application of Dr. Hyde's attorneys for the appointment of officers to take charge of the jury at the physician's second trial.

Dr. Hyde said the attempt to solicit a bribe from him was made while he was being taken from the criminal court room to his cell in the county jail. Hoffman, he said, broached the subject in this way:

"Doctor, I am very friendly with you and sympathize with you in your trouble and have your interest at heart. I have something to say to you, but I am afraid to say it."

Dr. Hyde in his affidavit, said he assured the deputy that he need not be afraid to say anything to him, and Hoffman finally continued:

"There's a fellow on that jury that can be bought. If you will give me \$1,500 for him, you will have a hung jury. This fellow says, however, that if there is an acquittal he must have \$3,000."

"After saying repeatedly that I must keep this to myself," said Dr. Hyde, "and not mention it to my attorneys or any other person, the deputy said: 'If you will leave this to me, I'll handle the entire matter for you.'"

Hoffman, the accused deputy, denied the charge against him in absolute and plain terms. "Counter charges of attempts of jury-bribing by the friends of Hyde were made in affidavits presented by the prosecution."

Virgil Conkling, county prosecutor, introduced an affidavit by Clare Wilson, who at the time of the Hyde trial, was employed by the hotel where the jury boarded. In her affidavit she said she was approached by a man named Thomas McAnany, who asked her if there was not some way to get to the jury men in the hotel.

The affidavit declares that McAnany said: "You are getting along in years and there is \$5,000 here for somebody and you might as well get it as anyone else."

Mrs. Wilson said she ignored the proposition.

ROYALIST FORAY.

Lisbon, Oct. 12.—(Via Frontier.)—The Royalists, taking advantage of a storm Tuesday night, made a foray from their mountain stronghold in the direction of Vinhnes. Republican troops intercepted and after a hot fight the Royalists retired to the passes in Sierra da Corda, within half a mile of the Spanish frontier.

They left several dead and wounded on the field. Col. Barboja, commander of the Tenth regiment, stationed at Braganza, was relieved of his command yesterday and ordered tried by court-martial. He is accused of delaying forty-eight hours after learning that a monarchist column was in his district and even then moving only on most urgent orders from Lisbon. Some monarchists in the mountains have collected quantities of fodder for which they paid cash and have announced that they intend to winter where they are.

Other Royalist bands have again crossed into Spain. The Republicans have revealed the hiding places of Royalist arms. In one cave near Vinhnes the troops found 1,000 Mauser rifles, six hundred revolvers and 50,000 cartridges.

A PAIR OF COMETS.

Flagstaff, Ariz., Oct. 13.—Beliawsky's comet was observed at the Lowell observatory on Tuesday and Wednesday, shortly after sunset.

According to the preliminary computations of Kobold, this comet should have passed very near the sun, less than 3,000,000 miles from the surface, on October 10, but its position shows this can hardly be correct.

It was observed with the spectro-scope for a short time in strong twilight and seems to show in addition to the characteristic cometary bands the distinctive bright lines of sodium.

Brooks' comet showed up directly last evening. Its tail was seen twenty degrees or more out from the head, the tail being slightly curved with the concave westward.

HAVE GREATER RESPECT.

Montreal, Oct. 13.—Hubert G. Brown, a Vancouver real estate dealer who stopped at the Windsor on his way home from New York, says the Americans have a far greater appreciation of Canada and Canadian patriotism since the election. They know what kind of stuff Canadians are made of and will send their capital into the Dominion in large sums, he says. Mr. Brown says that the Brooks-Scanlon Lumber Company, of Minneapolis, is investing \$18,000,000 in British Columbia. Many other investments have been strengthened by the result of the election.

"Matters at Vancouver," he added, "are flourishing and the close of the year sees more building permits issued in the city of Vancouver during the past twelve months than in Seattle, Tacoma and Portland combined."

The business community, he says, appears to think that the completion of the Panama canal will bring greater profit to Vancouver than to many United States ports.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 13.—Inspector W. D. Kirkpatrick, of the Canadian Northern Railway, Winnipeg, was today appointed superintendent of the second division of that company's lines.

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LONG-DRAWN ELECTION.

Not Settled Yet Who Is the Mexican Vice-President.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—Ten days should determine whether Francisco De La Barra, Pinedo Suarez or Francisco Vasquez Gomez has been elected vice-president of Mexico by popular vote. If no majority of the electoral vote shows either candidate, and the election is thrown into the chamber of deputies, the choice can hardly be taken before November 1. Delegates to the electoral college, which seems to have no exact parallel in any political procedure, will today begin work preliminary to the deliberations which will determine what candidates have been chosen. Five days may have elapsed before the electoral junta has completed their business.

WINNIPEG PIONEER DEAD.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 12.—Michael Conway, auctioneer, who came here from Guelph, Ont., in 1882, died to-day.

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